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DONALD SCOTT AT SHERIDAN KILLED

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A GENERAL WIND STORM

Myrtle Tree Neighborhood Had Silos Blown Over and the Small Grain Considerably Damaged.

Donald Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scott, living east of Sheridan, was killed this morning when he was struck by a bolt of lightning while working on the farm. The tragedy occurred about 10 o'clock. Mr. Scott was twenty-two or three years of age and well known in the community. The wind storm at Sheridan was not particularly severe but quite an electrical storm accompanied the rain.

Maryville took on the appearance of night between the hours of 9 and 10 o'clock this morning when dark clouds rolled and thundered in the sky, foreboding the coming of a wind storm. People began to hunt shelter and many sought safety, where it was possible, in cellers.

Despite the aspect for a destructive storm, none of great consequence came. A strong wind swept over the north part of town particularly, breaking limbs off trees and, in a few cases trees themselves.

Reports from several county towns indicated that on the whole no great amout of damage was done there, although in maany of them three limbs were freely broken off.

The Myrtle Tree neighborhood seems to have suffered most from the wind storm. A silo on thhe Albert Dowden farm was destroyed as well as one on the A. L. Smith place. On the Roy Neal farm a hay rack was lifted from the wagon bed and carried a distance of twenty feet. The small grain in that section was considerably damaged, that which was not cut being blown down and that which was in shock being strewn over the fields. It is probable that the grain in other parts of the county suffered to a certain extent.

YOUNG BRIDEGROOM DEAD; MOTHER-IN-LAW CHARGED.

Bluefield, W. Va., July 11.—Roy Willard, 20 years old, bridegroom of half an hour, is dead and his mother-in-law is being held, charged with shooting. She objected to the marriage.

Gates Farm Sold.

The farm of C. A. Gates, five miles southwest of Maryville, was sold yesterday to J. H. Street for $135 an acre. The deal was made by Blackford & Burris.

BASE BALL!!

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Saturday, July 12, Norma Talmadge in
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Tess is a product of the Storm Country in general, and of the despised squatter village on the shores of Lake Cayuga in particular. All her life has been spent on the defensive, and the one bright spot in it is her love for Frederick Graves. Graves belongs to the socially elect of the countryside, and his devotion to Tess has been kept a secret. He is taking a theological course at college and while home on a vacation has pursuaded Tess to consent to a secret marriage.

Matinee at 2:30—6c and 11c. Three shows at night 8, 9:15, 10:30—11c and 17c—war tax included.
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TO APPEAR BEFORE JUDGE DAWSON AT SPECIAL TERM

Two Men Arrested Wednesday to Plead Guilty at Special Court Session, July 21.

Albert Ping of St. Joseph and Benton ...y of Maryville, who were arrested ...dnesday night by Sheriff Dowden and Deputy Lee Atherton on a charge of burglary, grand larceny, and carrying concealed weapons will appear before Judge Dawson in a special term of court Monday, July 21. The two prisoners have signified that they will plead guilty at that time. They face a long sentence in the state penitentiary.

"THE SIX O'CLOCK WHISTLE AROUND THE WORLD"

The Subject of the Next Sunday Evening Sermon by Dr. Cox.

Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor of the First M. E. Church, has announced an illustrated lecture, "The Six o'Clock Whistle Around the World," for the regular preaching hour Sunday night. The lecture deals with the American industrial situation in the Orient as compared with that in the United States. People living in the agricultural sections of the United States sometimes fail to realize the vastness of the industrial life in the big eastern cities. One who has stood on a street corner in the factory sections of the cities at 6 o'clock in the evening and seen the stream of humanity pour out from the big buildings, heard the talk of labor unions and meetings at every turn, become familiar with the agitation for eight hour working laws, the workman's compensation laws, and adoption of regulations for industrial insurance realizes the importance of the labor problems that confront the legislators of today. Then when one thinks of the fact that in every country of the world and, particularly in the lands of the Eastern Hemisphere, it is American capital and American initiative that is solving the industrial problems in other lands one is impressed with the fact that many of the problems of our social life are inseparably linked with a sane and fair solution of an equitable adjustment of the affairs of labor and capital.

STATE'S WHEAT YIELD BIG

Estimate in Missouri Crop Report Is 64,817,750 Bushels.

Jefferson City, July 11.—The state wheat yield is estimated at 64,817,750 bushels, 12,700,000 more than that of last year, although 6,968,000 bushels were destroyed by rains in June, the Missouri crop report for July, issued today, says. The report indicates this year's crop will be above the average for the last ten years.

The corn acreage is 5,755,980 or 14 per cent below last year's. The yield is estimated at 147,353,000 bushels. The oats condition is good and indicates a yield of 43,511,700 bushels, the report states.

Barnard to Have a Picnic.

After a lapse of one year on account of the war conditions, Barnard will celebrate her 25th annual Three Days of Fun in a very fitting manner on August 7, 8 and 9. All three days will be given over to welcoming the soldiers and it is expected to make the picnic this year one of the greatest soldier homecomings in the middle west.

REV. HALE GIVES INTERESTINS TALK

ST. LOUIS PASTOR TELLS OF THE "SIGNS OF TIMES AND GOD"

EXPERIENCES IN FRANCE

Former Maryville Man Displays Old Spirit of Optimism and Fight; Urges Church Work Co-operation.

Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor of the Delmar Baptist church of St. Louis, and formerly a prominent figure in the church and civil life of Maryville, addressed many of his old friends last ight at the banquet given by the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church He took as his subject "The Signs of the Times as Related to the Kingdom of God" and in his evangelistic style clearly portrayed the ideas which he wished to convey.

While in this city as pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. Hale made a reputation as a fighter for the right, and in his talk last night, he showed that he has lost none of his aggressive spirit.

"The present time offers one of the greatest opportunities for the Christian religion that the world has ever known," said Rev. Hale at the opening of his talk. "I do not say that everything is perfect, and that all the evils have been remedied, but a great step has been taken toward the right, and the first great battle in the war for the doctrines of Jesus Christ has been won." He illustrated that the entry of the United States in the great world war was in accord with the teachings of the Christian church, and that the great fight against the militarism and prejudice of the Germans, was a real demonstration of the progress of the world toward justice and right. "I firmly believe that the world is growing better," he said, "and the advance of the times is along an upward and not a downward channel."

Rev. Hale spent considerable time on the fighting fronts overseas as a Y. M. C. A. secretary, and through his close personal contact with the American soldiers learned a great deal of the inner side of the men who went over to fight for the principles of democracy and right. "The American doughboy was profane," he said, "and while out with his pals seemed to take pleasure in a hearty rough manner, but down at the bottom of his heart he was religious." Rev. Hale said that during his entire stay on the front, he found only one man that professed to be an aethist, and that this man gave so many different views on the matter of religion that it was impossible to find out his true convictions.

Rev. Hale stated in his speech last night that he was an optimist, and the broad happy smile which lighted his face frequently during his talk told better than words that he

"This good old world is not so bad after all," he said, "and there are a lot of good people in it, and things are getting better every day."

In speaking of the present peace conditions, Rev. Hale made a firm, straightforward stand for the league of nations. "I am not looking at the league from a political standpoint or from a party standpoint," he said, "but from the standpoint of the Kingdom of God. The league of nations, as I see it, makes for a brotherhood of the nations of the world, and stands for the things that 'Jesus Christ wish to teach on this earth." Rev. Hale brought out that although the league of nations is in all probability not perfect, the principles are right and thit it is the best that can be had at this time. "It is an effort in the right direction," he said, "and I am supporting it as such."

Rev. Hale dwelt at length on the modern interpretation of the Bible and the doctrines of the church. He stated that the old idea of a hell, with fire and brimstone, was merely the figurative language of the Bible, and that the punishment of wrongs and sin were suffered on this earth by the wrongdoers. "A good example of this is the case of Germany," he said. "This country will suffer the damnation of her sins for generations to come, through her war burdens and indemnities."

At the close of his address last night, Rev. Hale brought out the idea of a need for active, progressive workers in the church. "Money is the source of all good," he said, "and to do things, the church must have money." He also brought out that the power of the church lies through co-operation, and he urged upon all the members to stand shoulder to shoulder with their pastor, Rev. Ferguson, in the fight for the right.

Following the banquet, Rev. Ferguson, acting as toastmaster of the meeting introduced J. R. Lowry, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school, who told of the "Opportunities for Men in the Bible School." Mr. Lowry spoke of the great opportunities offered men for active work in the church through the medium of the Sabbath school, and brought out that every person could show his loyalty to the cause of Christianity by performing the tasks laid out for him in the church work. He said that co-operation was the watchword of the church, and that steady, hard work was of the greatest importance.

One of the features of the after dinner program last night was the musical numbers given by Kenny Tebow and Ed Goodspeed who rendered several duet selections.

At the close of the program, Rev. Ferguson made a few remarks on the talks by Mr. Lowry and Rev. Hale, in which he spoke for an increased attendance at the Bible School classes. Pledge cards were passed prior to the dismissal, on which the men who were attendants at no other Sunday school were asked to worship with the Baptist class.

The banquet last night was prepared and served by women of the church.

Rev. Hale spoke before the Womens Auxiliary of the Baptist church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

He will be the guest of the Board of Directors of the Commercial Club at 6:30 o'clock this evening at a dinner at the the New Linville Hotel. Following the luncheon, he will speak at the court house square at 7:30 o'clock on "Civic Affairs."

A GREAT AVIATOR FOR THE FAIR

LIEUT. MILLS WORLD'S GREATEST AVIATOR TO FLY AT FAIR

OTHER ATTRACTIONS ALSO

The Flying Wards, the Society Circus and Others—Catalogues Out Next Monday.

Several attractions for the Nodaway County Fair have been contracted with and will positively appear. Judge Haney, president of the association, announces that he has after considerable trouble secured the world's greatest aviator in the person of Lieut Mills who will appear in flights every afternoon of the week in special aerial stunts of a most spectacular nature, Lieut. Mills was secured through the efforts of Harvey Hobart, a boy born and raised in Maryville and well known by the older people of the town.

The Flying Wards will make their initial appearance at the Nodaway County Fair. This is a state fair attraction of the best.

Margaret Hill's Society Circus.

With three people, four dogs, three ponies, and the famous Hee Haw mule will appear twice daily. This is a sight in a class by itself.

A special male quartet from St. Joseph will sing at the night shows Wednesday and Friday evenings. Judge Manecy states that all attractions will positively appear as advertised.

The racing program promises to draw some of the fastest horses in the northwest here for the week's speed program. The Maryville Derby race has already some of the best horses in the country entered.

The catalogues will be ready for distribution on next Monday it is announced.

SUIT FILED WITH CIRCUIT CLERK

A suit was filed with Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall by J. W. Edgerly & Co. against H. W. Weber and Joseph Anderson to recover judgment on a note for $338.34, the principal and interest, $24.67, attorney fees; and $4.75, the costs in the case. The J. W. Edgerly & Co. is a wholesale drug company of Ottumwa, Iowa.

To Preach at White Cloud.

Rev. W. C. Ferguson, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach at White Cloud Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

'SERVICE' STRIPES FOR WOMEN'S WORK

LOCAL MEMBERS OF RED CROSS TO RECEIVE HONOR MEDALS

52 AWARDED MARYVILLE

Length of Service to Be Shown by Stripes—40 Win Blue Ribbon Award.

The long, tedious hours of knitting and other war work accomplished by the brave women of the America, while their husbands, sons and sweethearts were at the front, is not to go without its reward. An honor medal has been designed for the women who gave their services so cheerfully in the winning of the war, and before long the women of Maryville who were engaged in Red Cross work will receive their rewards from the District Headquarters at St. Louis.

The new medal, or badge is made of blue ribbon in the shape of a "V" at the apex of which is attached a bronze disc with an enameled red cross. The time spent in the work, is shown by "service" stripes across the blue ribbon.

Women who have spent 400 hours in the work will be entitled to a khaki colored ribbon. For 800 hours, a blue ribbon is awarded, while for those who have devoted 1,600 hours to the work a blue ribbon with one "service" stripe as awarded. A 2,400 hour class is permitted to wear two stripes on the blue ribbon, but there are no members in the local Red Cross who have spent that much time in the work.

According to the report returned by the St. Louis headquarters 52 awards are made to the Maryville Red Cross. The membership shows 45 women and 7 men. Forty members will receive the plain blue ribbon award, while 5 are entitled to one "service" stripe.

Following are the winners of the medal from the Nodaway County Chapter:

1,600 hours in 12 months—Badge with one stripe—Mrs. George Bellows, Miss Hattie Pierce, Miss Myrtle Lanning, Miss Betty Turner and Mrs. Arthur Crooke.

800 consecutive—6 months—Mrs. Elizabeth Howland was recommended unanimously by committee for a certificate 800 hours consecutive service in six months, which entities her the privilege of buying a badge and ribbon. Mrs. W. J. Osburn, Mrs. M. Moore, Mrs. Frank Cox, Mrs. E. O. Boone, (colored).

800 hours—12 months—Maryville—Mrs. E. G. Orear, Miss Bertha Beal, Mrs. Ed Dale, Mrs. C. W. Thorp, Mrs. M. A. Peery, Miss Effie Foster, G. B. Roseberry, M. J. Alderman, Roy J. Curfman, F. P. Robinson, Dr. F. R. Anthony, Prof. J. M. McDonald.

Graham—Mrs. M. M. Rhoades, Mrs. Jacob Shambarger and Mrs. W. E. Freytag.

Barnard—Miss Mollie Tulloch, Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. J. C. Hocker, Clyde A. Perkins, Mrs. T. E. Cook and Miss Ruth Merrell.

Pickering—Mrs. J. A. Carmichael.

Skidmore—Mrs. P. K. Brown.

Conception Junction—Mrs. G. S. Parrott and Mrs. J. F. Pfeiffer.

Ravenwood—Mrs. David Crater, Miss Agnes Stoneburner, Mrs. C. C. Steiger.

Parnell—Mrs. Lillie N. Blackburn, Jennie Logan, Miss Lizzie Mumford, Mrs. C. F. Sisson, Mrs. Nell Morgan, Mrs. Ida LaFavor, Mrs. Rose Bremer, Mrs. Angie Nigh, Mrs. H. N. Snoddy, Mrs. Maude Logan, Mrs. Flora Spoonemore, Miss Lora Nigh, Mrs. Emily Evans, Alice Shelman.

RACE RIOTS IN TEXAS.

Dallas, Tex., July 11.—One negro was killed and several white men were injured in the race riot at Longview, near here, today. White men are reported burning houses of negroes and the governor has asked for rangers.

Mrs. Mary Ware, Quitman, Dead.

Mrs. Mary Ware died at her home in Quitman this morning. Funeral arrangements will not be completed until word is received from relatives living at a distance. She is survived by five children, three sons and two daughters.

Mrs. Ida Persons left this morning for Tingley, Iowa, to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hawk. From there she will go to Eskdale, Colo, for an indefinite visit with her son, Harry.

BLAMES ARMY Q.M. CORPS FOR ARMY FOOD DELAY

Miscalculations as to Army Foodstuffs Caused Trouble in Marketing Brought Out in Probe.

Washington, July 11.—Miscalculations as to army foodstuff surpluses delayed its marketing, the general marshall admitted today at the meeting of the house committee to investigate the expenditures in the war department. He placed the responsibility for error and delay on the quartermasters corps of the army.

CALL ATTENTION TO "BIG FIVE" MEAT PACKERS RING

Nations Food Supply Will Be Dominated by Big Business Says Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, July 11.—The nation's food supply will soon be dominated by the big five meat packers unless steps are taken to prevent it, the federal trade commission stated in its report to President Wilson on its investigation of the meat industry made public today.

MAY IMPOSE THE DEATH PENALTY ON PROFITEERS

Proposal Made in French Chamber of Deputies; Investigating in Britain.

London, July 11.—The proposal made in the French Chamber of Deputies to impose the death penalty upon the food and clothing profiteers may be approved by the report of the commission that has been investigating the situation in Great Britian, it was learned today.

AMERICAN LABOR HEAD IN SANITARIUM FOLLOWING TRIP

Frank J. Hays, Leader of U. M. W. A., Resting up After Strenuous Labors in France.

Indianapolis, July 11.—Frank J. Hays president of the United Mine Workers of America, is in a sanitarium here, following the strenuous labor connected with his recent trip to France as a member of the American Labor Commission. Through confusion of names the afternoon papers here yesterday announced that Will R. Hays, Republican National committee man, had suffered a nervous breakdown.

ORDER FOCH TO WATCH POLAND

French General to Make Demand That Poles Cease Hostilities With Neighboring Nations.

Paris, July 11.—Marshall Foch today was instructed by the council of five to send a note to Poland and demand that the Poles cease hostilities. The Poles have been fighting nearly all of their neighbors, especially the Ukranians and the Lithuanians.

R-34 NOW HALF WAY HOME

British Dirigible Reported More Than Halfway on Her 3,000 Mile Trip to London.

London, July 11.—The British dirigible has completed more than half of her three thousand mile journey to London, messages received here today, indicated.

REPORT PRESIDENT WILL VOTE FOR AG. APPROPRIATION

Washington, July 11.—Reports that President Wilson would veto for the agricultural appropriations bill because of the rider repealing the day light savings law, were current officially today.

WAITERS TIRE OF WAITING.

Paris, July 11.—Ten thousand waiters went on a strike here today for an eight hour day and increase in wages.

Miss Mattie Bookman and niece, Miss Gladys Bookman, left Thursday morning to spend a few weeks in Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie spent yesterday in St. Joseph.

Miss Martha Koch went to St. Joseph this morning to spend a few days with relatives.

MYSTERY SHROUDS TROUBLE IN ROME

REPORTED THAT ALL SHOPS HAVE BEEN CLOSED AT CAPITOL.

MARTIAL LAW DECLARED

Indefinite Reports Coming From Affected Regions Say Many Have Been Killed—Conditions Are Serious.

London, July 11.—The mystery over what actually happened in Rome labor trouble was heightened today. The Reuter News Agency cabled, reporting all shops in Rome excepting those selling foodstuffs have been closed and only one newspaper was published. Many persons were killed. The labor trouble has been general throughout for several days and began in the northern part of the country over the high cost of food and clothing and spread to cities but in the meanwhile the situation became so serious that the ministry of marine declared martial law and naval officers undertook the administration of city affairs. The Italian government has been exercising and the situation is regarded as serious.

HE CHANGED HIS MIND AND PAID $5 FINE

Paul Gray Admits That He Was "Clipping Along Pretty Well When Arraigned on Speeding Charge.

Paul Gray, residing about six miles south of Maryville, paid a fine of $5.00 and costs in the police court this morning after he had entered a plea of guilty to the charge of speeding before Judge W. L. Johnson.

Gray was driving his Ford car on the evening of July 2, when he fell into the hands of Sheriff Dowdon. He was given a preliminary hearing in the police court where he entered a plea of not guilty, and firmly maintained that he was driving within the speed limit.

This morning, however, he admitted that he was "clipping along pretty well" and changed the plea to guilty. The fine and costs totaled $11.35.

WILL THEY TWINKLE IN THE TWO NEAR TOWNS?

C. C. Helmers Confers with Bolckow and Rosendale Business Men About Electric Lights.

C. C. Hellmers, manager of the Maryville Electric Light & Power Company, spent last Monday evening in Bolckow and Rosendale conferring with representative business men in regard to furnishing those towns with electric lights.

No definite action was taken by either party as the meetings were for the purpose of preliminary get-together meetings to talk over the possibilites. Mr. Hellmers made no definite proposals at either town but promised to take the matter up with the company officials, if the two towns were interested in the proposition of securing lights.

The people of Bolckow seem to be optimistic about the matter for The Herald says: "It begins to look as though our little city will soon have electric lights. The one preventive in the way of an immediate installation of the system is the scarcity of labor and the high cost of material."

Mrs. Wes Smith and daughter, Marie, of Denver, Colo., who have been guests of Mrs. J. S. Ford and daughters, Misses Gladys and Merle Ford, left yesterday for Kansas City to spend a month before returning home.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight and Friday, possibly local thundershowers tonight in the northeast portion.

Feature Tonight — **Empire Theatre** — 11 and 17 Cents

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—in—
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MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

Buys Ravenwood Paper.

Loron Long, the manager of the Nold Lumber Co., of Parnell, has purchased the Ravenwood Gazette and expects to move to that place just as soon as he can be released from his present position.—Parnell Sentinell.

Has First Tomato.

Tom Cook enjoyed the first ripe tomato from his garden Tuesday. Tom says that he has an exceptionally good tomato patch and has many large ones nearly ripe. This is the first ripe homegrown tomatoes we have heard of this year.—Barnard Bulletin.

To-Night

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German President a Figurehead Chancellor and Cabinet Power

By Alfred G. Anderson.
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.

Berlin, July 11. (by mail).—In the words of Dr. Hugo Preuss, German minister of the interior and author of the original draft of the new German constitution:

"The President of Germany is a parliamentary king."

If President Ebert were to paraphrase Minister Preuss' definition of his status he probably would style himself a limited monarch, with a regretful emphasis on the limited.

'King' Ebert may be unaware of it, but it nevertheless is a fact that he he is completely tucked away in the frock coat pocket of Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau. Unmistakable proof of this was furnished me at Weimar recently during the last session of the national assembly, when Ebert and his court were reposing on the siken couches and gilded beds of the deposed Grand Duke.

I had solicited an interview with President Ebert. An attache of the Foreign Office and a secretary of Premier Scheidemann successively asked me to prepare a list of questions to be submitted to Germany's alleged chief executive. It was explained that Ebert always wanted to prepare his answers in advance. Later I learned that some attache of Brockdorff-Rantzau's establishment usually writes the interviews for foreign correspondents without bothering Ebert with the list of questions.

My questions were rather intimate and perhaps embarrassing. Each day however, I was assured the interview would take place "tomorrow." After waiting several days I learned from a confidential source that Ebert had not been approached at all regarding the coveted interview. The same day Brockdorff-Rantzau left for Berlin.

I went to the Foreign Office attache who had one of my lists of questions and insisted on action. He squirmed and said it was "too bad the Foreign Minister had gone to Berlin." But he would at once wire Brockdorff-Rantzau and inquire if it was convenient to let an American correspondent interview the president at this time.

It wasn't. Brockdorff-Rantzau said so in his reply, which came by wire the following morning, and that settled it. This was my last attempt to interview Germany's president.

I had the Weimar experience in mind today when I asked Dr. Preuss if the German constitution gave the president any authority at all.

"Oh, yes," said Dr. Preuss, who is politically a democrat and racially a Jew. "He contracts treaties with foreign powers and appoints and receives ambassadors. He appoints and dismisses government officials and officers of the army and navy. He has authority to use military force for compelling any state of the German commonwealth to fulfill its constitutional obligations. He can, with the sanction of the cabinet, restore order by military force in any part of the commonwealth where the public safety is disturbed."

Dr. Preuss exhibited a copy of the proposed constitution, with all the amendments made in the first committee reading, as documental evidence of the president's vast authority.

I found no paragraph authorizing the president to give out interviews, but I did find one that considerably minimized the power ascribed to him by Dr. Preuss.

Article 70 of the German constitution prescribes that "all civil and military orders and dispositions of the president require, in order to be valid, the counter signature of the chancellor or the minister properly representing him, who thereby assumes the responsibility."

That little article, one of the briefest in the whole constitution, virtually divests the president of all authority. While reading it now I recalled a statement made by Hugo Haase, president of the Independent Socialist party, in an interview five weeks ago. Herr Haase then said:

"The national president is a superfluous and expensive ornament. It is the policy of my party to abolish the office."

The real president of Germany is the chancellor, or the minister president, as that official at present is called. (The new constitution provides for a restoration of the title "Chancellor," and the n ational assembly in like manner reverts to the old familiar appellation of "Reichstag.")

The constitution, to be sure, provides that the chancellor be appointed and released by the president, but the constitution also prescribes that the chancellor must have the confidence of the Reichstag, though neither he nor the minister need be members of the legislative body. That divests the president of the last remnant of power. All that is left him of authority is the right to submit any law passed by the Reichstag to referendum within one month of its passage. But even such an order, if the constitution is carried out to the letter, probably would require the chancellor's counter signature.

"The German president," said Dr. Preuss, "differs from the president of France in that he is elected by direct vote, like the president of the United States, whereas the French president is elected by parliamentary vote. He differs from the President of the United States in requiring the sanction of his cabinet in all his actions. But from the King of England he differs only in not holding office for life.

"The German president is elected for seven years. But he may be re-elected indefinitely. He must be thirty-five years old and have been a German citizen for at least ten years.

"The direct vote clause, which is my own idea, met with strong opposition from the liberal element, who were afraid the president would be too independent. Strangely enough, I had the hardest fight with members of my own party, but I won out."

"BEST MEDICINE FOR WOMEN"

What Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound Did For Ohio Woman.

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

Mrs. Shaw proved the merit of this medicine and wrote this letter in order that other suffering women may find relief as she did.

Women who are suffering as she was should not drag along from day to day without giving this famous root and herb remedy, Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, a trial. For special advice in regard to such ailments write to Lydia E. Pinkham Medicine Co. Lynn, Mass. The result of its forty years experience is at your service.

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Stacked Grain Offers Advantages.

One of the first precautions to be observed in the control of the Hessian Fly is to plow all wheat stubble as early as possible after harvest. Early plowing has also proven advantageous in the production of a large wheat crop the succeeding year. These two items form an excellent reason for stacking wheat as soon as the binder has been over the field. Whether or not it will pay the farmer to stack his grain is a question for him to answer.

Other advantages from stacking are pointed out by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Threshing from the stack saves the labor of several men and teams. Also, the threshing can be done at any time most convenient. These items concern the housewife to a great extent. If threshing can be done after the hot season has passed, and fewer workmen are to be fed, the dread of threshing will be largely obviated. Wheat threshed from stacks is usually better in quality; it grades higher because of its better color and weight.

Because of danger from fire, some farmers hesitate to stack their grain. That is a risk which must be assumed, altho it can be shared with an insurance company on a short time policy. Naturally, it adds to the expense.

The farmer must decide whether it will pay him to stack, whether the advantages outweigh the disadvantages.

A coated tongue, bad breath, dizziness and a clogged condition in the bowels can be quickly relieved by using Prickly Ash Bitters. It is a man's remedy for such ailments. Price $1.25 per bottle.—Maryville Drug Co., Special Agents.—Adv.

If it can be photographed, Carpenter can do it. 13.

OVER MILLION SHELLS FIRED IN FOUR HOURS.

Washington, D. C.—The most intense concentration of artillery fire ever recorded was that of the American troops in the battle of St. Mihiel, fought from September 12 to 15 and which was the first distinctly American offensive of the war. It was fought chiefly by American troops and wholly under the orders of American officers. In this battle the American artillery fired more than one million shells in four hours.

Two comparisons with Gettysburg emphasize the magnitude of the St. Mihiel operation. At St. Mihiel, 550,000 Americans were engaged, at Gettysburg, the Union troops numbered approximately 100,000. In three days at Gettysburg the Union artillery fired 33,000 shells. The St. Mihiel offensive cost the Americans about 7,000 casualties, less than one-third the Union losses at Gettysburg.

A drowsy, half-sick, discouraged feeling is caused by a torpid liver and impurities in the stomach and bowels. Prickly Ash Bitters is a prompt and efficient remedy. Men who work need its cleansing and stimulating effects. Price $1.25 per bottle.—Maryville Drug Co., Special Agents.—Adv.

ROPER ISSUES WARNING.

Washington, D. C.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Roper has issued a warning to the public against dealers in Liberty and Victory bonds who advertise themselves as "Government Licensed Brokers." The fact that a broker has paid the special tax imposed on all brokers under the Revenue Act of 1918 does not mean that the Government guarantees his honesty or assumes any responsibility for the legitimacy of his methods, Mr. Roper warns.

Harvey Guests Leave.

Mrs. J. C. Glenn of Kansas City, and Mrs. Elizabeth Fox of Fort Worth, Texas, who have been guests for a week at the home of Mrs. Glenn's daughter, Mrs. Fred Harvey, left this morning for Kansas City.

BANK STATEMENT SHOWS COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY.

Washington, D. C.—The country's prosperity is reflected in the national bank statement under the Comptroller of the Treasury's call of May 12. Resources on that date were $20,825,000,000, an increase of $807,000,000 since March 4, date of the last previous call, and a gain of almost ten billions of dollars in six years.

Deposits on May 12 were $15,908,000,000, an increase of $1,518,000,000 since May 10, 1918. Loans and discounts on May 12 amounted to $9,994,000,000, an increase of $213,000,000 over March 4, 1919.

Kodak finishing is a business—not a side line with us. Carpenter. 13.

Blind Missourian Raises Poultry.

After attending several meetings of poultry enthusiasts in Cole county, O. E. Jones of Jefferson City, decided to go into the poultry business. Mr. Jones is blind, but he could see a future in the poultry industry in Missouri. Unaided, he constructed a two-section, two-story poultry house and equipped it in approved style. His flock consists of birds of laying age and some spring hatched chicks.

The efficiency shown in all his work is a surprise to any visitor, says H. E. Cosby of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture who has called on Mr. Jones to give him instruction. The work has been done well in spite of all handicaps. Mr. Jones does not stop at providing good equipment; he uses progressive methods in handling his flock. His method of recording the eggs produced is unique. A small section of hardware cloth one-fourth inch mesh is tacked to a board. In the first vertical column he uses tacks to designate each hen. In the horizontal columns he sticks tacks to record the days on which each hen lays. In this way the records are kept for a month. At the end of the month the tacks are removed for a new start.

Mr. Jones is now attempting to organize a poultry club at the institution, with the assistance of the home demonstration agent. He is also looking forward to the time when he will be operating a poultry farm of considerable size. While he is a novice at the work, and his enterprise is small, his ambition will doubtless carry him along toward the realization of his ambition.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

100 Per Cent Cow.

Paris, Mo., July 11.—T. W. McCrary, a farmer living north of Paris, has a 100 per cent efficient cow. The cow has presented her owner with four calves during the past year, and divided them properly into two sets of twins. Two of the calves were steers and two were heifers.

Fiery Itching and Burning of Skin Is a Most Cruel Torture

Sure Speedy Relief in S. S. S.

Why suffer from these persistent tortures when it is so easy and costs so little to do as thousands of others have done and get relief through S. S. S.? It is now well known that eczema and other skin troubles come from impure blood. By giving the blood a thorough cleansing you not only get sure and speedy relief but you also build up the system and renew your vigor and vitality.

This good medicine has stood the test of 50 years as the greatest blood purifier known. It is guaranteed entirely free from minerals of any kind.

The experience of others has established the unfailing merits of S. S. S., and there's no question about the wisdom of your giving it a thorough trial. All reputable druggists sell it. If in doubt as to your case write to Medical Advisor, Swift Specific Co., Dept. 54, Atlanta, Ga.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

MONDAY & TUESDAY, JULY 14 and 15

J. Stuart Blackton's Screen Triumph

"The Common Cause"

Matinee each day at 2:30—6c and 11c. Night 8 and 9:30—11c and 17c, war tax included.

A picture that every man, woman and child should witness.

LIQUID AND CAKE
2 IN 1
WHITE SHOE DRESSING
KEEP YOUR SHOES NEAT
THE E.F. DALLEY CORPORATIONS LTD., BUFFALO, N.Y.
for Women's Children's and Men's Shoes.

THE dealer who has an eye to the future is building on solid rock. That explains why so many good dealers handle Firestone Gray Sidewall Tires.

To you it means reliable dealer service in addition to unequaled tire mileage, which takes much of the worry and expense out of car upkeep.

The best tire dealer in your locality is a Firestone dealer. Get acquainted with him.

Firestone

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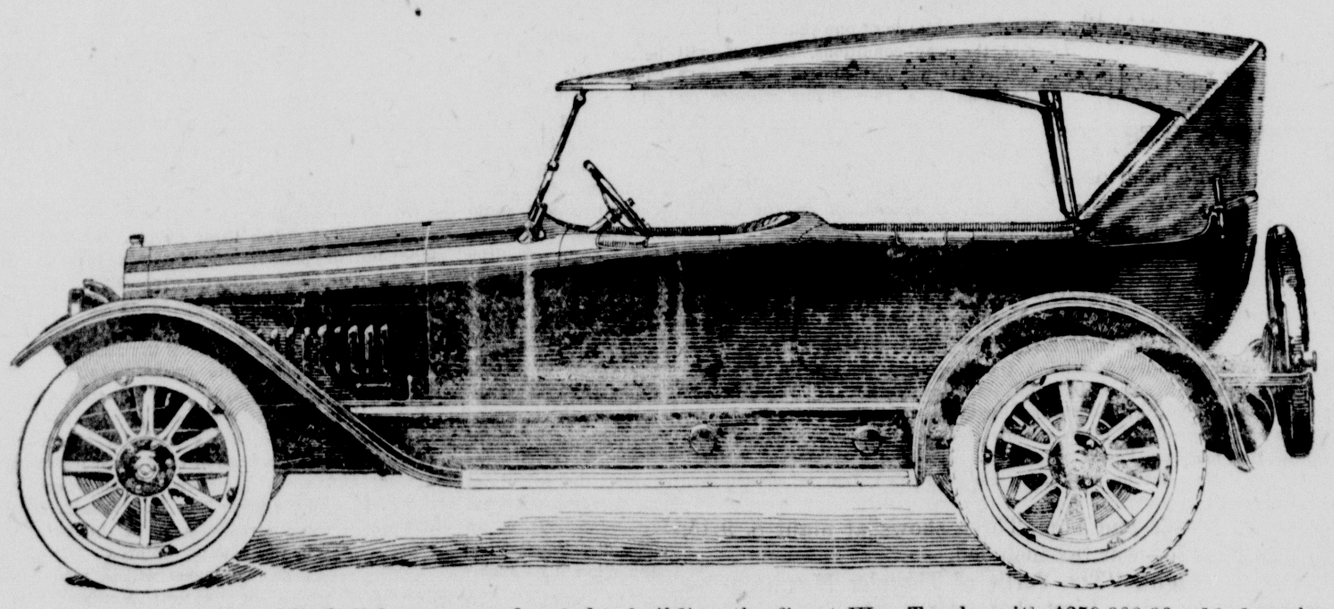
Most Miles per Dollar

NEW VICTORY MODEL

Mitchell Sixes



During the war the Mitchell factory was devoted to building the finest War Trucks with $250,000.00 added equipment.

New Standards of Endurance were set and now, the New Victory Model Mitchell Sixes are being turned out with 50 per cent over strength in every part, making it practically a lifetime car.

Let us give you a demonstration.

The United States Copper Cable Company

REPUBLIC AND AJAX TIRES

East Side Square

Ready-to-Wear Garments Greatly Reduced.

Any silk suit now HALF PRICE.
Any wool suit now HALF PRICE.
One lot of summer dresses now HALF PRICE.
Any silk coat now HALF PRICE.

WASH SKIRTS ARE GREATLY IN DEMAND NOW and you will find our stock amply able to meet your every requirement.

AT $1.50

Our wash skirts at this price show quality. You should not be without a wash skirt, especially when you can buy as good a skirt as we offer at $1.50 Make up your mind to buy one tomorrow.

BEAUTIFUL SILK SKIRTS

for summer wear. Attractive models in crepe de chine, Georgette, Pussy Willow, poplins, and other popular materials priced $12.50 to $29.75.

Choice any summer parasol HALF PRICE.

Extra width fancy ribbons at	50c a yard
Beautifu Morie ribbons a yard	75c and 90c
Summer weight vests	10c
Ladies umbrella knee union suits, each	39c
New wash goods a yard	25c, 35c and 75c
Talcum powder	5c a can

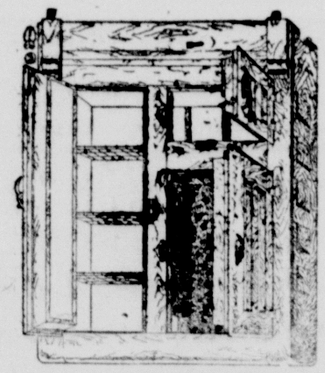
D. R. Eversole & Son

Hand or Power Washers

WE HAVE A LARGE LINE OF HAND AND POWER WASHING MACHINES, of several makes all of them well tried and thoroughly guaranteed machines, and all priced a little lower than the same grade of washer can be bought for elsewhere.

Before buying a washing machine, come in and let us show you these machines, and we are confident you will find you can make a real saving here.

Refrigerators Going Up



Several makers of refrigerators have announced a further advance in prices. We still have a number of high grade refrigerators at the old price —if your refrigerator needs replacing now, or will need it next spring, we can save you money on one of these we now have in stock.

Complete line of OIL STOVES and NEW DETROIT VAPOR OIL or GASOLINE STOVES.

Garrett Hardware Co.

ENGLAND & SAWYER, Props.

Social, Clubs Churches

Eastern Star Meeting.

The Eastern Star chapter will meet at 8:30 o'clock at I. O. O. F. Hall. A big attendance is desired.

W. C. Club.

The W. C. Club which was organized two weeks ago by the girls of the Ireland district, met with Marion Roberts Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Pearl Booth, Nellie Hall, Reah Shell, Crystall Hall, Thelma Garrett, Sarah Garrett and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Pearl McGinness.

Weiner Roast.

The Brotherhood Class of the First M. E. Church gave a picnic supper, a feature of which was a weiner roast, last evening at the College Park. Following the supper, the time was spent socially and various games were played. There were forty-three present. This was one of several social gatherings planned by the class for the year.

Social Hour Club.

The Social Hour Club met at the home of Mrs. Will Spangler Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Josie Gray, Mrs. Clara Wilson and children, Mrs. Emma Fakes, Mrs. Ed Houston and children, Mrs. Nana Loch, Mrs. Julia Loch and children, Mrs. Stella Morris and son, Misses Tressie King and Edith and Lestie Spangler. The next meeting will be at the home of rs. Rich Spurgeon.

For Mrs. Covey.

Mrs. Isabelle Worst and Miss Alice Worst were hostesses to the Fortnightly Bridge Club this afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Worst's daughter, Mrs. Noble C. Covey of Pueblo, Colo. The guests included only the members who are Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Mrs. George Baker, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, substituting for Mrs. J. F. Colby, who is visiting in Manitou, Colo.

Herron Homemaking Circle.

Mrs. David Neidel was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the Herron Homemaking Circle. The afternoon was spent in quilting, after which dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. Rudolph Neidel Mrs. W. T. Osborne, Mrs. Chas. Nicholas and son, Mrs. Chas. Porter and daughter, Mrs. Harry Hartness and daughter, Mrs. hCas. Cockayne, Mrs. Harry Fisher, Mrs. E. A. Everest, Misses Mary Taylor, Esther Neidel and Zilla Everest. The Circle will hold its next meeting July 23 with Mrs. Hartness.

DEPUTY E. E. TILTON GETS MANY FISHING LICENSES.

Brings 25 Applications for Licenses From Big Lake Which Is Becoming Popular Resort.

Deputy Game and Fish Commissioner E. E. Tilton returned from Big Lake today with about twenty-five hunting and fishing licenses which he had received applications for at that place. He states that Big Lake is becoming a most popular resort for fishing, having received applications for fishing licenses from parties living in St. Joseph, Kansas City, Kansas and Nebraska.

A state fishing license for a resident costs $1.00 and for a non-resident, $3. A combined hunting and fishing license for a resident costs $2.50 and for a non-resident $10.

Keep the Dairy Utensils Clean.

Utensils that come in contact with milk or cream must be kept perfectly clean. This precaution should be observed throuout the year, but especially during the warm weather, says the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Wash them by first rinsing in cold water and then by using hot water and a brush. Washing powder suitable for use in the dairy should contain no grease. Ordinary sal-soda used in small amounts is a good dairy cleanser. After washing the utensils with hot water, rinse thoroly with boiling water and place them where they will come in contact with the direct rays of the sun. This place should be free from flies.

In washing the large milk cans, be sure that the inside of the shoulder of the can is rubbed with the brush, as this is the most difficult part to clean.

Ask Carpenter—He probably knows. 13.

Return From Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad W. Yehle and sons, Ralph, Carlos and Cleo, returned yesterday afternoon from a ten days' vacation outing at Big Lake.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

St. Louis, July 11.—Whisky prescriptions, formerly the favorite subterfuge of persons in dry territory when a wee sip was wanted, have not shown an increase at drug stores here, but there has been a gradually increasing rush on the soda fountains, downtown durggists say.

At one downtown drug store, a sign has been posted, apologizing to customers for lack of accomodation and explaining that the fountain has been "swamped" in the rush. The sign announces that the fountain will be enlarged as soon as possible.

Hundreds of St. Louisions are "drinking" their lunch, in the form of egg drinks, since prohibition went into effect, it is said.

Soft drink dealers and dispensers estimate the increase in their business has been from 10 to 25 per cent.

Brookfield, July 11.—The Linn County court, in session at Linneus, in answer to petitions filed from every township in the county, made an order for an election to be held August 19, for the citibens of the county to vote bonds of $1,000,000 to build hard-surface roads.

Jefferson City, July 11.—An order will be made, Chairman William G. Busby of the Public Service Commission says, extending the six cent street car fare in Kansas City for a period of sixty days from July 15.

There will be no immediate ruling, Busby further says, in the matter of seven and one-half cent rate applied for by the Kansas City Street Railways Company some days ago.

The commission will rule on that application some time during the sixty day extension of the six cent rate.

The application of the company was for a ten cent fare for a single trip or two tickets for fifteen cents, being equivalent to a straight seven and one-half cent fare.

Jefferson City, July 11.—Governor Gardner will not make an appointment to fill the vacancy on the Revision Committee made caused by the resignation of Senator Seth M. Young.

In the opinion of the governor, as well as that of several of the leading members of the committee, that body is already sufficiently large and is unwieldy.

Before the resignation of Senator Young there were sixteen members of the committee and the remaining fifteen will be ample to do the work.

The governor says that unless there are quite a number of vacancies on the committee it will be his policy not to make any new appointments.

Friends of Senator S. E. Bronson who had been urging him for the vacancy have been advised that there would be no appointment made.

MAN LOSES HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS

"I am sorry I did not hear of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy a few years ago, as it would have saved me several hundred dollars. Five years I suffered from indigestion and severebloating. I grew worse all the time. My doctor said an operation would be all that could save me. I took a course of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy instead and for the past year have been entirely well." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal ailments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Maryville Drug Co., and Druggists Everywhere—Adv.

"THE COMMON CAUSE"

First Big After-war Screen Production to Be Shown at the Electric Theater.

"The Common Cause" the first big after-the-war screen production to be exhibited after the signing of the armistice will be shown at the Electric theatre next Monday and Tuesday, July 14 and 15.

The drama has a prologue and epilogue, in which appear five famous women of the stage—Effie Shannon, Julia Arthur, Irene Castle, Marjorie Rambeau and Violet Heming. They represent, respectively, Belgium, Italy, France, Columbia and Britannia.

"This is one of the best-made photoplays ever seen and it certainly has everything about it to make it the greatest screen entertainment that has come out in many months. It covers the war from the time Belgium was ravaged until the present time, with the American and Allied arms victorious; and yet it is not what one would call a 'war' picture. It tells the story of Allied aims, the reasons for the entrance in to the struggle of Britain, France, Italy, America, etc., and shows how the American marines turned the tide of the war at the memorable battle of Chateau-Thierry by turning the Huns off the road to Paris. There is a splendid novelty in the form of an animated diagram showing this phase of the war.

"There is a beautiful love story running through the picture and some splendid battle scenes showing the tanks in action, the big guns and the battleplanes, but there is a total absence of the horror that has characterized the war itself and many of the pictures depicting it.

"One of the outstanding features of 'The Common Cause' is the fine comedy that is introduced. Lawrence Grossmith, the famous English comedian, is the leading fun-maker, and he, with a poilu and a French girl, produce some of the most legitimate comedy the screen has ever seen. The picture would be worth seeing for the comedy alone."

WOULD PAY TRIBUTE TO FAITHFUL WAR ANIMALS.

Boston, July 11.—Francis H. Rowley, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, believes that the state should recognize the work done by horses, dogs and other animals whose faithful services and whose sufferings and death were part of the price paid in the world war waged in behalf of the liberties of mankind.

These were the sentiments expressed by the Committee on State Libraries in speaking in favor of a resolve authorizing the erection of a memorial shaft in the State House in honor of the animals and birds which took part in the war.

Mr. Rowley said that the "Lost Battalion," Commanded by Colonel Whittlesey, was found when a pigeon flying from it brought word of its whereabouts to the main American forces in France. Dogs also have carried messages which resulted in the saving of hundreds of human lives, he said.

Twenty Years From Now.

A few more items from the Lowry City Independent's latest Twenty Years From Now column:

Glenn Lyon of east of town shipped eighty fat steers to the Kansas City market on Monday's stock plane.

A man passed through town Saturday driving a horse—the first seen hereabouts for a number of years. He said he came from Arkansas.

Found—Plane license tag No. 14054. Owner may have same by paying for this ad and the calf killed by falling tag.—Lauren Lysinger, Rt. 2.

A quart bottle of whisky which has occupied a prominent place among the exhibits at the Lowry City museum so long was stolen from its case one night last week and, it is feared, is now past recovery. Detectives searching for this valuable relic of bygone days, have found clues that implicate several old fellows about town who were noted tipplers in the days preceding the big drought.

Take your kodak finishing to the Bee Hive Shoe Store. Carpenter. 13.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Our Annual July Clearance Sale

Begins Tomorrow Morning

IT has been the custom of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Company to hold Clearance Sales in July and January of each year—in these semi-annual sales the entire stocks, with the exception of a very few restricted items, are offered at a reduction in price. These Clearance sales are the only times of year that we place our entire stocks on sale at a reduction and the people of this community have come to look forward to these sale events with increasing interest.

First, it is an important event because of its magnitude; second, it is important because it is coming at a time when merchandise in all lines are making radical advances. Therefore, take advantage of this great sale in which you can supply your needs at prices that will be prohibitive in a very short time.

The very merchandise you have been wanting is in this sale—come and make your selections early before the items you want are taken.

Make your family proud of their home

Your wife and children cannot take a pride in their home if the house is faded and weather-beaten. That means no-paint. And, for mansion or cottage, the best paint is

DEVOE

The Guaranteed Lead and Zinc Paint
Fewer Gallons—Wears Longer

We guarantee Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint to be absolutely pure. When you paint with Devoe you save paint-money—fewer gallons to buy; you save labor-money—fewer gallons to spread; you get a better looking paint-job—pure paint; and it will be a longer time before you need another paint-job.

Why have a shabby house any longer? It will cost you more to paint next year. Paint with Devoe *now* and insure your home against decay. Stop in to-day and let us give you a Devoe color card and a practical booklet—"Keep Appearances Up and Expenses Down."

Koch Pharmacy

Exclusive Agency of the New Edison
"The Phonograph With a Soul"
MARYVILLE : : : : : : : : : MISSOURI

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CLASSIFIED ADVERTISING

WANTS

THAT BRING RESULTS

Classified "wants", one cent per word first insertion and one half cent per word for each subsequent insertion, no advertisement for less than 25c

Classified wants, by the month, per line (six words) per month 70c

Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.

These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

Equitable
Life, Health and Accident
"Buy it of Brewer."

FOR SALE—Gibson Mandolin, cheap. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Chester White sow and ten pigs nine weeks old. Emmett Bartram. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. See Mrs. A. S. Robey, 321 West 4th St. 10-12*

FOR SALE—6 pigs 2½ months old. Morris H. Chick Farmers 125. 923 South Main St. 9-12*

FOR SALE—Complete block machine, jack screws, wheel barrows and tools. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-12.

FOR SALE—A Ford Roadster, in good running condition. Maryville Electric Lt. & Pr. Co. Empire Theater Bldg. A17tf.

FOR SALE—One Overland, five passenger touring car in good condition. C. C. Hellmers. M2tf.

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls, priced worth the money. Will make delivery. Oren Lanning, Barnard, Mo. 14tf

FOR SALE—4 Ford cars all in good condition. L. B. Campbell, Barnard, Mo. 9-11

FOR SALE—The best 14 acre tract adjoining city limits 4 blocks from pavement on good public road, has 9 room house, electric lights, bath, etc. Fruit and wash house with basement, garage coal house, chicken house, large barn and hog houses. Plenty of water and an abundance of fruit.

An ideal home, suitable for most any use, on which an independent living can be made.

Place is so arranged that it can be sub-divided. This place must be seen to be appreciated. Priced to sell as we are leaving state.

C. E. JONES,

East 14th on R. F. D. 5, Box 8, Han. 76. Jy3tf

FOR SALE—Buick touring car in good condition, new tires, attractive price. Farmers garage. 9-11

FOR SALE OR RENT—The Linneman property on East 7th. Inquire across the street. 8-21.

FOR SALE—1 Oakland, model 40. 1 Overland, model 69. good condition. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. 9-11

FOR SALE—Nice heifer calf, past two weeks old. Shube Woodard, 922 East 4th St. 9-11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house 3 blocks east of courthouse. Southeast corner of Saunders & 4th street. 6 rooms, city water and bath. Inquire Sisson Loan and Title Co. Hanamo 55 J8tf.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAR OWNERS ATTENTION—If you need any kind of parts for your car come and see us. We carry a complete line of second hand parts and sell at them at reasonable prices. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. 9-15.

JUNK. JUNK—Wanted all kinds of junk and junk cars. Call or ship to Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. Hanamo 232. Farmers 75. 9-22.

WANTED—Good separator man, one that understands the business, Apply to G. P. Bainum or X. A. Lincoln. 9-11

LOST—34x4 tire and rim with leather blowout boot on tire. Lost between Quitman and aMryville on the Joe Carden road. Ed Costello. 9-11

NATIONAL RUBBER TIRE FILLER ends all tire trouble, a perfect substitute for air. 1-3*

Lazenby Funeral Services.

Funeral services for William H. Lazenby, who died yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital, will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Pickering Christian church. Burial will be in White Oak cemetery east of Pickering. Mrs. Guy Phillips of Colome, S. D., a daughter, arrived last night to attend the services.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, July 11.—July corn, $1.92 3-8; September corn, $1.92 5-8; December corn $1.58 7-8.

Kansas City, July 11—Cattle receipts, 1,000; steers $10 @ $13.45; cows, $9 @ $12.50; Hogs, 5,000; top, $22.35; bulk, $21.90 @ $22.25.

Chicago, July 11.—Cattle, 6000; Hogs 25,000; Sheep 15,000.

St. Joseph, July 11.—Cattle 500; 10c to 15 higher; Hogs 3500, top $22.30, steady; Sheep 2000, steady.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Fresh eggs, per dozen	32c
Spring Chickens	30c lb
Butter fat	47c lb
Hides	20c
Hen market	23c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per pound	12c
Old roosters, per pound	12c

REDEMPTION PRIVILEGE ON WAR STAMPS EXTENDED.

Washington, D. C.—The Treasury Department savings division has removed the restriction under which registered War Savings Stamps could be redemmed only at the postoffice where they were originally registered. By arrangement with the Postoffice Department, they may now be redeemed at any postoffice on the necessary ten days' notice. The plan extending the redemption privilege has been safeguarded to prevent redemption by others than bona fide holders of registered stamps.

Under the registration privilege, the Government guarantees stamp owners against loss by theft or destruction, and insures payment of the value of the stamps only to bona fide owners.

Protect your Barn with Cooks Prairie Red Barn Paint... Gaugh & Evans. tf

Teaching the Chicks to Roost.

Where a large number of chicks are being raised in one brooder house difficulty is often experienced in preventing the birds from piling up at night after the heat is removed, and causing serious losses, says T. S. Townsley of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. To prevent this overcrowding the birds should be taught to roost as early as possible. If roosts are made out of one by three inch strips placed flat so as to provide a three inch roosting surface, and these are placed twelve to fifteen inches from the floor, the birds can easily be taught to go to roost. If the chicks do not go up on the roost of their own accord they should be gently placed in the roosts after dark for one or two nights until they get the roosting habit.

Look Out For Mites.—This season of the year a constant lookout should be kept by all poultry keepers for mites in the houses and coops. A mite is very small and difficult to see unless special search is made. They are usually found in cracks near the roosts. They appear as minute, gray or reddish specks. When present in large numbers they often have the appearance of dust. Mites reproduce very rapidly and are a great source of annoyance to the hens when present in large numbers. The mites live by sucking blood from the hens. A severe attack of mites will cause the hens to loose flesh and stop laying, and will oftentimes produce death. To get rid of mites the houses must be carefully cleaned and then painted or sprayed with excellent material. A heavy spraying of coal oil followed in two or three days by giving the roosts and surrounding boards a thoro painting with crude oil will clean up the mites and keep the houses free for several months. This treatment should be applied twice yearly to all poultry houses as a precautionary measure against mites.

In Charge of Millinery Department.

Miss Ethel Muntz of Bedford, Ia., arrived this morning and will have charge of the millinery department of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co., made vacant by the removal of Miss Agatha Kirch to Riverton, Wyo.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine—Double Strength.

This preparation for the removal of freckles is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of Othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the louble strength Othine; it is this that s sold on the money-back guarantee.—Adv.

How a Man Acts When He Can't Get a Drink

E. M. Stader, the hotel man, in the June American Magazine says: As a result of prohibition, we seem to have these very definite effects: men go out with their wives and their families to the restaurants and theatres, more than they did; they drink soft drinks, and they eat more food, especially sweets; they walk more and ride less.

"They are also easier to get along with. At least, my manager in Detroit says that it is like being transported to heaven since the drinking man has been almost eliminated from the hotel guests.

"As time goes on, more and more men certainly are going to take to soft drinks. In the new Hotel Pennsylvania in New York we will have three soda fountains and I expect they will do a big business. In Detroit the two most popular 'temperance drinks' with men are the 'grape-juice highball'—which is grape juice and seltzer and the various cream sodas.

The Heydey of Soda.

"I have been making inquiries and I find that men have been patronizing soda fountains more and more in recent years, even where there was no prohibition. A woman told me the other day of going into one of these places in the New York financial district several times lately. On each occasion she was the only woman in the place, aside from the girls behind the counters. And the men in there were not office boys or young men who were taking their ice-cream sodas, their phosphates, and even their 'nut sundaes,' with evident enjoyment. If they did this when bars and saloons were open, they will surely do it still more when there is no place else to go.

In Detroit another effect of the prohibition conditions is that people are spending more for food when they go to the restaurants. The average check for luncheon and dinner is twenty per cent higher than it used to be. Remember This increase is in spite of the fact that all charges for drinks are now absolutely gone. That means that one large item has been subtracted from the amount spent in the restaurants and yet the sum has increased. I mean the average sum per person."

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FOR SALE—My house and lot at 1005 East First street, and my two small tracts of land north of town. Mrs. J. L. Lee. 11-14*

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tulloch of Barnard, have been visiting the former's brother, Dick Tulloch, and family.

Miss Gladys Wray of Oak Park, Ill., arrived Wednesday noon to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Marve Curnutt.

Judge J. H. Sayler, accompanied by his guest, John K. Walker of Los Angeles, Calif., visited in Burlington Junction Wednesday afternoon with W. G. Sayler.

Misses Willetta Kittell and Ruth Hankins of the Conservatory of Music are spending today in St. Joseph.

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BEGIN BIG CAMPAIGN AGAINST DREADED CANCER.

New York, July .—Cancer research in America is proceeding as in pre-war days, it is said at the Crocker Laroratories of Columbia University. Mice, the supply of which had practically been absorbed by the Government for use in trenches or submarines and in camps for the purpose of detecting gas, are again being bred in vast numbers for cancer laboratories. At Columbia there are now 5,000 tumor-bearing mice. During the war the number had fallen to 1,000. Before the war it had reached 15,000. The animals are being bred in New York and Philadelpria.

The war has touched the cancer problem in a strange way, according to Dr. Francis Carter Wood, Director of the George Crocker Special Research Fund at Columbia. In England and Wales the cancer death rate has shown enormous increase since the war began and Dr. Wood, after an exhaustive study of the latest statistics available from the office of the Registrar-General of Great Britain, concludes that the increase is due to the fact that "that portion of the male population below the age of firty-five had been largely removed to France and Belgium and the old-age groups therefore predominted in wartime."

In this country the same phenomenon will be noticed during the next year or two, Dr. Wood said. This condition, he pointed out, must, however, be considered by age groups rather than for the population as a whole, and if this is done no real change will be found. Similar distortion of cancer death rate, he said, has been noticed in the New England States for some years.

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COMING CHAUTAUQUA IS MAKING A "HIT" ELSEWHERE

Newspaper Comment from Towns Program Is On Speaks Favorably of Entertainment.

Newspaper comment from the towns where the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua program has already been held indicate that the 1919 program is fulfilling all of the pre-season promises made by the Cedar Rapids folks.

The program has been under way for three weeks and up to date the attendance has been the largest in the history of the circuit and committees report that tickets have sold more readily this season than ever before.

The address on "Re-Making the Map of the World" by Sir John Foster Frazer, the British journalist, seems to be the head-liner feature of the program. Press comments on the lecture declare it to be the most timely and instructive address ever presented by the Redpath-Vawter system. Sir John, it will be remembered, came to the Chautauqua platform direct from the Paris peace conference and he is giving, first hand to the people of the Middle West, his impressions of the events which marked that historic gathering. Reports state that he has been holding his audiences for two hours with his graphic verbal pictures of the characters and events of the great conference. He closes his address with his "garden of the brave" a tender and beautiful tribute to the allied dead who sleep in France.

The big crowd-getting day is said to be the sixth day when the Banda Roma. Major Bridgman and the exhibitions of flying are scheduled. Hundreds of folks have taken trips in the air with Lieut. Miller, the aviation pilot. The Banda Roma is declared to be the equal of any band organization ever offered by the Vawter folks.

Frank Dixon is creating much comment on his address on "Government Ownership—the Creed of American Bolshevism."

Ralph "Bing" Bingham, the "White Hussars," the Saxaphone Sextette and the Althea Girls are taking the entertainment honors, while the Boston Opera Singers are making "big" with those who enjoy the best in music.

Don't forget the name of the remedy you need when the stomach or bowels are disordered. Prickly Ash Bitters quickly corrects such troubles and makes you feel bright and cheerful. Every man should have a bottle at home all the time. It is the dose taken promptly that prevents sickness, misery and expense. Price $1.25 per bottle.—Maryville Drug Co., Special Agents.—Adv.

C. J. Colden in Parnell.

C. J. Colden, a former resident of this place, and his sister, Mrs. Brice Hall and daughter, Miss Nellie of Wilcox, were Parnell visitors yesterday afternoon. This was Mr. Colden's first visit here in a number of years, and his many friends were glad to see him again.

Mr. Colden now lives at San Pedro, Cal., 22 miles out from Los Angeles, on the beach, where he is engaged in the real estate business. For four years Mr. Colden was a resident of Parnell and was editor and owner of the Sentinel, the present owner purchasing the Sentinel from him.

Mr. Colden says he likes California better than any state he ever lived in. He has been visiting his parents at Wilcox but expects to leave for his home Friday of this week.—Parnell Sentinel.

COMMERCIAL WHEAT STOCK SHOWS LARGE INCREASE.

Washington, D. C.—A Department of Agriculture survey on June 1 showed the commercial wheat stock of the country to be 51,392,898 bushels. These holdings were reported by 8,684 firms, comprising elevators, warehouses, grain and flour mills and wholesale dealers, and were nearly three times as great as the stocks held by the same firms on June 1, 1918.

Commercial stocks of other cereals reported on the same date, with a comparison in percentage with the same date of 1918, were:

Corn, 17,254,576 bushels, or 47.6 per cent; oats, 45,770,543, or 90.6 per cent; barley, 20,043,375 bushels, or 307 per cent; rye, 14,624,331 bushels, or 346.1 per cent.

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RAINS HANDICAP HARVEST

It Is Estimated That More Than One-Third of Wheat Has Not Yet Been Cut.

Wheat harvesting is being badly handicapped in this community from several sources says the Barnard Bulletin. There has been a large amount of rain which has caused the over ripened wheat to fall down and make the binding difficult. It is estimated that at least one-third of the wheat in this community is still standing uncut in the fields on account of the wet ground and in some instances on account of the wheat being so flat on the ground as to not allow cutting.

Sam Smith and George Adams have a field of wheat that is down so badly that the plan to mow it with a mower and rake it to a threshing machine with a bull rake, this being the only way they can get any returns from the field. It is a common sight to see several acres in fields on which the wheat is still standing and there seems to be little chance of cutting it. With continued sunshine, however, there will be much wheat cut within the next few days.

The wheat is about all cut and it is now the general opinion that the yield will not be near so good as it was thought it would be. The threshing will be commenced the first of next week if the weather will permit. The cutting of oats is just commencing and the same opinion is expressed about them as abotu wheat in regard to yield.—Clearmont News.

Many will commence threshing their wheat next week. While the grain will not be heavy there will be an abundance of straw.—Parnell Sentinel

WANTED WHOLE WORLD TO KNOW OF TANLAC

Missouri Woman Let Others Know What Tanlac Will Do For Suffering Humanity.

"My eight years search for a medicine or a treatment that would overcome my trouble never met with any success until I commenced taking Tanlac," said Mrs. A. B. Cosseboon, who lives at 425 Independence avenue, Kansas City, Mo., while talking with a Tanlac representative the other day.

"My kidneys and stomach were both in very bad condition," she continued, "and it is hard to say which of these troubles caused me the most misery. The awful pains in my back, and the terrible, raging headaches I had would almost drive me wild, and if I stopped over for anything it was impossible for me to straighten up without assistance. Then I would have severe pains on account of my food not digesting properly, and forming into what seemed to be a lump in the pit of my stomach. I was also bothered a great deal on account of my limbs getting numb, or going to sleep, and would often have to rub them with alcohol before I could get any relief. Finally my nerves got in very bad condition, and I was not able to sleep very well, and I just got so weak and run-down that it would exhaust me completely to do any part of my housework.

"After reading so much about Tanlac in the Kansas City papers, I decided to make one more effort and give Tanlac a trial, and let me tell you, hat was the wisest decision I ever made in my life. It seems almost too good to be true, but I am now as well and happy as I ever was in my life. Why, the change in my condition is so wonderful that everybody who knows me is talking about it, and I always take a perfect delight in telling them that Tanlac is responsible for it all. My kidneys seem to be in perfect condition now, and I am entirely free from those pains in my back, and I haven't had one of those raging headaches since I finished my first bottle of Tanlac, and I eat just anything I want and my food digests perfectly. The numbness and pains in my limbs have disappeared and I am so completely rid of nervousness that I sleep like a child every night. My strength and energy have come back to me, and I can do all my housework without the least trouble. In fact, Tanlac has made me a well trong woman again, and I just want the world to know what a great medicine Tanlac is, and I am glad to recommend it to everybody."

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Sheriff's Sale.

By virtue of an execution issued out of the Circuit Court within and for the county of Nodaway and State of Missouri, and to me directed, I will on the 15th day of July, 1919, between the hours of 9 o'clock a. m. and 5 o'clock p. m. of said day, at the south door of the courthouse in the city of Maryville, Missouri, offer for sale at public vendue to the highest bidder for cash in hand, the following described property, to-wit:

Lot 1 in block 1 in Hall's addition to the city of Maryville, Missouri.

Said property being levied upon as the property of Mary Hall, and will be sold to satisfy a judgment in favor of Nodaway Valley Bank, a corporation, and against said Mary Hall.

Dated this 10th day of July, 1919.

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Notice of Sale of Bonds.

Notice is hereby given that the Board of Directors of Consolidated School District No. 1 of Nodaway County, Missouri, will receive sealed bids for the purchase of $50,000.00 of bonds of said district, bearing interest at the rate of 6 per cent per annum, payable semi-annually, and running for a period of twenty years from date of issue, subject to call after ten years from date of issue. Said bids will be received at the office of the undersigned Secretary of said Board of Directors, at the city hall in Maryville, Missouri, until 3 o'clock p. m. on Friday, July 25th, 1919. Information and blank form for bids may be obtained from the undersigned Secretary. All bids must specify the rate of interest the bidder desires the bonds to bear with the greatest amount of money he will pay for the issue of bonds ata such rate. Successful bidder to furnish bonds. Time of delivery September 1st at Maryville, Missouri. Bonds will not be sold for less than par, purchaser to pay accrued interest to date of delivery. Address all communications to W. O. Garrett, Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

W. O. GARRETT,
Mayor.

J-11-15-19-23.

WOMAN FEDERAL OFFICER DEAD.

Topeka, July 11.—Miss Grace Roller, only woman deputy United States Marshal in the United States died here today. She was noted for her efficiency.

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MUNICIPAL BOND SALE.

Sealed bids will be received for the sale of an issue of $50,000.00 waterworks bonds of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by the Mayor of said City at the city hall until 3 o'clock P. M. on

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DONALD SCOTT AT SHERIDAN KILLED

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A GENERAL WIND STORM

Myrtle Tree Neighborhood Had Silos Blown Over and the Small Grain Considerably Damaged.

Donald Scott, son of Mr. and Mrs. W. W. Scott, living east of Sheridan, was killed this morning when he was struck by a bolt of lightning while working on the farm. The tragedy occurred about 10 o'clock. Mr. Scott was twenty-two or three years of age and well known in the community. The wind storm at Sheridan was not particularly severe but quite an electrical storm accompanied the rain.

Despite the aspect for a destructive storm, none of great consequence came. A strong wind swept over the north part of town particularly, breaking limbs off trees and, in a few cases trees themselves.

Reports from several county towns indicated that on the whole no great amout of damage was done there, although in maany of them three limbs were freely broken off.

The Myrtle Tree neighborhood seems to have suffered most from the wind storm. A silo on thhe Albert Dowden farm was destroyed as well as one on the A. L. Smith place. On the Roy Neal farm a hay rack was lifted from the wagon bed and carried a distance of twenty feet. The small grain in that section was considerably damaged, that which was not cut being blown down and that which was in shock being strewn over the fields. It is probable that the grain in other parts of the county suffered to a certain extent.

YOUNG BRIDEGROOM DEAD; MOTHER-IN-LAW CHARGED.

Bluefield, W. Va., July 11.—Roy Willard, 20 years old, bridegroom of half an hour, is dead and his mother-in-law is being held, charged with shooting. She objected to the marriage.

Gates Farm Sold.

The farm of C. A. Gates, five miles southwest of Maryville, was sold yesterday to J. H. Street for $135 an acre. The deal was made by Blackford & Burris.

BASE BALL!!

SUNDAY, JULY 13
at 3:30

MARYVILLE COMETS ....
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This team hasn't been defeated this season.
Come and enjoy a good game.

ELECTRIC THEATRE

Saturday, July 12, Norma Talmadge in
"THE SECRET OF THE STORM COUNTRY"

Tess is a product of the Storm Country in general, and of the despised squatter village on the shores of Lake Cayuga in particular. All her life has been spent on the defensive, and the one bright spot in it is her love for Frederick Graves. Graves belongs to the socially elect of the countryside, and his devotion to Tess has been kept a secret. He is taking a theological course at college and while home on a vacation has pursuaded Tess to consent to a secret marriage.

Matinee at 2:30—6c and 11c. Three shows at night 8, 9:15, 10:30—11c and 17c—war tax included.

Don't forget tonight, **"The Perils of Thunder Mountain."**—Also a Big V Comedy. First show at 8 p. m.

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TO APPEAR BEFORE JUDGE DAWSON AT SPECIAL TERM

Two Men Arrested Wednesday to Plead Guilty at Special Court Session, July 21.

Albert Ping of St. Joseph and Benton ...y of Maryville, who were arrested ...dnesday night by Sheriff Dowden and Deputy Lee Atherton on a charge of burglary, grand larceny, and carrying concealed weapons will appear before Judge Dawson in a special term of court Monday, July 21. The two prisoners have signified that they will plead guilty at that time. They face a long sentence in the state penitentiary.

"THE SIX O'CLOCK WHISTLE AROUND THE WORLD"

The Subject of the Next Sunday Evening Sermon by Dr. Cox.

Rev. G. S. Cox, pastor of the First M. E. Church, has announced an illustrated lecture, "The Six o'Clock Whistle Around the World," for the regular preaching hour Sunday night. The lecture deals with the American industrial situation in the Orient as compared with that in the United States. People living in the agricultural sections of the United States sometimes fail to realize the vastness of the industrial life in the big eastern cities. One who has stood on a street corner in the factory sections of the cities at 6 o'clock in the evening and seen the stream of humanity pour out from the big buildings, heard the talk of labor unions and meetings at every turn, become familiar with the agitation for eight hour working laws, the workman's compensation laws, and adoption of regulations for industrial insurance realizes the importance of the labor problems that confront the legislators of today. Then when one thinks of the fact that in every country of the world and, particularly in the lands of the Eastern Hemisphere, it is American capital and American initiative that is solving the industrial problems in other lands one is impressed with the fact that many of the problems of our social life are inseparably linked with a sane and fair solution of an equitable adjustment of the affairs of labor and capital.

STATE'S WHEAT YIELD BIG

Estimate in Missouri Crop Report Is 64,817,750 Bushels.

Jefferson City, July 11.—The state wheat yield is estimated at 64,817,750 bushels, 12,700,000 more than that of last year, although 6,968,000 bushels were destroyed by rains in June, the Missouri crop report for July, issued today, says. The report indicates this year's crop will be above the average for the last ten years.

The corn acreage is 5,755,980 or 14 per cent below last year's. The yield is estimated at 147,353,000 bushels. The oats condition is good and indicates a yield of 43,511,700 bushels, the report states.

Barnard to Have a Picnic.

After a lapse of one year on account of the war conditions, Barnard will celebrate her 25th annual Three Days of Fun in a very fitting manner on August 7, 8 and 9. All three days will be given over to welcoming the soldiers and it is expected to make the picnic this year one of the greatest soldier homecomings in the middle west.

REV. HALE GIVES INTERESTINS TALK

ST. LOUIS PASTOR TELLS OF THE "SIGNS OF TIMES AND GOD"

EXPERIENCES IN FRANCE

Former Maryville Man Displays Old Spirit of Optimism and Fight; Urges Church Work Co-operation.

Rev. L. M. Hale, pastor of the Delmar Baptist church of St. Louis, and formerly a prominent figure in the church and civil life of Maryville, addressed many of his old friends last ight at the banquet given by the Men's Bible Class of the First Baptist church He took as his subject "The Signs of the Times as Related to the Kingdom of God" and in his evangelistic style clearly portrayed the ideas which he wished to convey.

While in this city as pastor of the First Baptist church, Rev. Hale made a reputation as a fighter for the right, and in his talk last night, he showed that he has lost none of his aggressive spirit.

"The present time offers one of the greatest opportunities for the Christian religion that the world has ever known," said Rev. Hale at the opening of his talk. "I do not say that everything is perfect, and that all the evils have been remedied, but a great step has been taken toward the right, and the first great battle in the war for the doctrines of Jesus Christ has been won." He illustrated that the entry of the United States in the great world war was in accord with the teachings of the Christian church, and that the great fight against the militarism and prejudice of the Germans, was a real demonstration of the progress of the world toward justice and right. "I firmly believe that the world is growing better," he said, "and the advance of the times is along an upward and not a downward channel."

Rev. Hale spent considerable time on the fighting fronts overseas as a Y. M. C. A. secretary, and through his close personal contact with the American soldiers learned a great deal of the inner side of the men who went over to fight for the principles of democracy and right. "The American doughboy was profane," he said, "and while out with his pals seemed to take pleasure in a hearty rough manner, but down at the bottom of his heart he was religious." Rev. Hale said that during his entire stay on the front, he found only one man that professed to be an aethist, and that this man gave so many different views on the matter of religion that it was impossible to find out his true convictions.

Rev. Hale stated in his speech last night that he was an optimist, and the broad happy smile which lighted his face frequently during his talk told better than words that he "This good old world is not so bad after all," he said, "and there are a lot of good people in it, and things are getting better every day."

In speaking of the present peace conditions, Rev. Hale made a firm, straightforward stand for the league of nations. "I am not looking at the league from a political standpoint or from a party standpoint," he said, "but from the standpoint of the Kingdom of God. The league of nations, as I see it, makes for a brotherhood of the nations of the world, and stands for the things that 'Jesus Christ wish to teach on this earth." Rev. Hale brought out that although the league of nations is in all probability not perfect, the principles are right and thit it is the best that can be had at this time. "It is an effort in the right direction," he said, "and I am supporting it as such."

Rev. Hale dwelt at length on the modern interpretation of the Bible and the doctrines of the church. He stated that the old idea of a hell, with fire and brimstone, was merely the figurative language of the Bible, and that the punishment of wrongs and sin were suffered on this earth by the wrongdoers. "A good example of this is the case of Germany," he said. "This country will suffer the damnation of her sins for generations to come, through her war burdens and indemnities."

At the close of his address last night, Rev. Hale brought out the idea of a need for active, progressive workers in the church. "Money is the source of all good," he said, "and to do things, the church must have money." He also brought out that the power of the church lies through cooperation, and he urged upon all the members to stand shoulder to shoulder with their pastor, Rev. Ferguson, in the fight for the right.

Following the banquet, Rev. Ferguson, acting as toastmaster of the meeting introduced J. R. Lowry, superintendent of the Baptist Sunday school, who told of the "Opportunities for Men in the Bible School." Mr. Lowry spoke of the great opportunities offered men for active work in the church through the medium of the Sabbath school, and brought out that every person could show his loyalty to the cause of Christianity by performing the tasks laid out for him in the church work. He said that cooperation was the watchword of the church, and that steady, hard work was of the greatest importance.

One of the features of the after dinner program last night was the musical numbers given by Kenny Tebow and Ed Goodspeed who rendered several duet selections.

At the close of the program, Rev. Ferguson made a few remarks on the talks by Mr. Lowry and Rev. Hale, in which he spoke for an increased attendance at the Bible School classes. Pledge cards were passed prior to the dismissal, on which the men who were attendants at no other Sunday school were asked to worship with the Baptist class.

The banquet last night was prepared and served by women of the church.

Rev. Hale spoke before the Womens Auxiliary of the Baptist church at 2 o'clock this afternoon.

He will be the guest of the Board of Directors of the Commercial Club at 6:30 o'clock this evening at a dinner at the the New Linville Hotel. Following the luncheon, he will speak at the court house square at 7:30 o'clock on "Civic Affairs."

A GREAT AVIATOR FOR THE FAIR

LIEUT. MILLS WORLD'S GREATEST AVIATOR TO FLY AT FAIR

OTHER ATTRACTIONS ALSO

The Flying Wards, the Society Circus and Others—Catalogues Out Next Monday.

Several attractions for the Nodaway County Fair have been contracted with and will positively appear. Judge Hancey, president of the association, announces that he has after considerable trouble secured the world's greatest aviator in the person of Lieut Mills who will appear in flights every afternoon of the week in special aerial stunts of a most spectacular nature, Lieut. Mills was secured through the efforts of Harvey Hobart, a boy born and raised in Maryville and well known by the older people of the town.

The Flying Wards will make their initial appearance at the Nodaway County Fair. This is a state fair attraction of the best.

Margaret Hill's Society Circus.

With three people, four dogs, three ponies, and the famous Hee Haw mule will appear twice daily. This is a sight in a class by itself.

A special male quartet from St. Joseph will sing at the night shows Wednesday and Friday evenings. Judge Maneey states that all attractions will positively appear as advertised.

The racing program promises to draw some of the fastest horses in the northwest here for the week's speed program. The Maryville Derby race has already some of the best horses in the country entered.

The catalogues will be ready for distribution on next Monday it is announced.

SUIT FILED WITH CIRCUIT CLERK

A suit was filed with Circuit Clerk Henry Westfall by J. W. Edgerly & Co. against H. W. Weber and Joseph Anderson to recover judgment on a note for $338.34, the principal and interest, $24.67, attorney fees; and $4.75, the costs in the case. The J. W. Edgerly & Co. is a wholesale drug company of Ottumwa, Iowa.

To Preach at White Cloud.

Rev. W. C. Ferguson, pastor of the Baptist church, will preach at White Cloud Sunday afternoon at 3 o'clock.

'SERVICE' STRIPES FOR WOMEN'S WORK

LOCAL MEMBERS OF RED CROSS TO RECEIVE HONOR MEDALS

52 AWARDED MARYVILLE

Length of Service to Be Shown by Stripes—40 Win Blue Ribbon Award.

The long, tedious hours of knitting and other war work accomplished by the brave women of the America, while their husbands, sons and sweethearts were at the front, is not to go without its reward. An honor medal has been designed for the women who gave their services so cheerfully in the winning of the war, and before long the women of Maryville who were engaged in Red Cross work will receive their rewards from the District Headquarters at St. Louis.

The new medal, or badge is made of blue ribbon in the shape of a "V" at the apex of which is attached a bronze disc with an enameled red cross. The time spent in the work, is shown by "service" stripes across the blue ribbon.

Women who have spent 400 hours in the work will be entitled to a khaki colored ribbon. For 800 hours, a blue ribbon is awarded, while for those who have devoted 1,600 hours to the work a blue ribbon with one "service" stripe as awarded. A 2,400 hour class is permitted to wear two stripes on the blue ribbon, but there are no members in the local Red Cross who have spent that much time in the work.

According to the report returned by the St. Louis headquarters 52 awards are made to the Maryville Red Cross. The membership shows 45 women and 7 men. Forty members will receive the plain blue ribbon award, while 5 are entitled to one "service" stripe.

Following are the winners of the medal from the Nodaway County Chapter:

1,600 hours in 12 months—Badge with one stripe—Mrs. George Bellows, Miss Hattie Pierce, Miss Myrtle Lanning, Miss Betty Turner and Mrs. Arthur Crooke.

800 consecutive—6 months—Mrs. Elizabeth Howland was recommended unanimously by committee for a certificate 800 hours consecutive service in six months, which entities her the privilege of buying a badge and ribbon. Mrs. W. J. Osburn, Mrs. M. Moore, Mrs. Frank Cox, Mrs. E. O. Boone, (colored).

800 hours—12 months—Maryville—Mrs. E. G. Orear, Miss Bertha Beal, Mrs. Ed Dale, Mrs. C. W. Thorp, Mrs. M. A. Peery, Miss Effie Foster, G. B. Roseberry, M. J. Alderman, Roy J. Curfman, F. P. Robinson, Dr. F. R. Anthony, Prof. J. M. McDonald.

Graham—Mrs. M. M. Rhoades, Mrs. Jacob Shambarger and Mrs. W. E. Freytag.

Barnard—Miss Mollie Tulloch, Mrs. J. W. Miller, Mrs. J. C. Hocker, Clyde A. Perkins, Mrs. T. E. Cook and Miss Ruth Merrell.

Pickering—Mrs. J. A. Carmichael.

Skidmore—Mrs. P. K. Brown.

Conception Junction—Mrs. G. S. Parrott and Mrs. J. F. Pfeiffer.

Ravenwood—Mrs. David Crater, Miss Agnes Stoneburner, Mrs. C. C. Steiger.

Parnell—Mrs. Lillie N. Blackburn, Jennie Logan, Miss Lizzie Mumford, Mrs. C. F. Sisson, Mrs. Nell Morgan, Mrs. Ida LaFavor, Mrs. Rose Bremer, Mrs. Angie Nigh, Mrs. H. N. Snoddy, Mrs. Maude Logan, Mrs. Flora Spoonemore, Miss Lora Nigh, Mrs. Emily Evans, Alice Shelman.

RACE RIOTS IN TEXAS.

Dallas, Tex., July 11.—One negro was killed and several white men were injured in the race riot at Longview, near here, today. White men are reported burning houses of negroes and the governor has asked for rangers.

Mrs. Mary Ware, Quitman, Dead.

Mrs. Mary Ware died at her home in Quitman this morning. Funeral arrangements will not be completed until word is received from relatives living at a distance. She is survived by five children, three sons and two daughters.

Mrs. Ida Persons left this morning for Tingley, Iowa, to spend a week with her mother, Mrs. E. W. Hawk. From there she will go to Eskdale, Colo. for an indefinite visit with her son, Harry.

BLAMES ARMY Q.M. CORPS FOR ARMY FOOD DELAY

Miscalculations as to Army Foodstuffs Caused Trouble in Marketing Brought Out in Probe.

Washington, July 11.—Miscalculations as to army foodstuff surpluses delayed its marketing, the general marshall admitted today at the meeting of the house committee to investigate the expenditures in the war department. He placed the responsibility for error and delay on the quartermasters corps of the army.

CALL ATTENTION TO "BIG FIVE" MEAT PACKERS RING

Nations Food Supply Will Be Dominated by Big Business Says Federal Trade Commission.

Washington, July 11.—The nation's food supply will soon be dominated by the big five meat packers unless steps are taken to prevent it, the federal trade commission stated in its report to President Wilson on its investigation of the meat industry made public today.

MAY IMPOSE THE DEATH PENALTY ON PROFITEERS

Proposal Made in French Chamber of Deputies; Investigating in Britain.

London, July 11.—The proposal made in the French Chamber of Deputies to impose the death penalty upon the food and clothing profiteers may be approved by the report of the commission that has been investigating the situation in Great Britian, it was learned today.

AMERICAN LABOR HEAD IN SANITARIUM FOLLOWING TRIP

Frank J. Hays, Leader of U. M. W. A., Resting up After Strenuous Labors in France.

Indianapolis, July 11.—Frank J. Hays president of the United Mine Workers of America, is in a sanitarium here, following the strenuous labor connected with his recent trip to France as a member of the American Labor Commission. Through confusion of names the afternoon papers here yesterday announced that Will R. Hays, Republican National committee man, had suffered a nervous breakdown.

ORDER FOCH TO WATCH POLAND

French General to Make Demand That Poles Cease Hostilities With Neighboring Nations.

Paris, July 11.—Marshall Foch today was instructed by the council of five to send a note to Poland and demand that the Poles cease hostilities. The Poles have been fighting nearly all of their neighbors, especially the Ukranians and the Lithuanians.

R-34 NOW HALF WAY HOME

British Dirigible Reported More Than Halfway on Her 3,000 Mile Trip to London.

London, July 11.—The British dirigible has completed more than half of her three thousand mile journey to London, messages received here today, indicated.

REPORT PRESIDENT WILL VOTE FOR AG. APPROPRIATION

Washington, July 11.—Reports that President Wilson would veto for the agricultural appropriations bill because of the rider repealing the day light savings law, were current officially today.

WAITERS TIRE OF WAITING.

Paris, July 11.—Ten thousand waiters went on a strike here today for an eight hour day and increase in wages.

Miss Mattie Bookman and niece, Miss Gladys Bookman, left Thursday morning to spend a few weeks in Excelsior Springs.

Mr. and Mrs. M. L. Beattie spent yesterday in St. Joseph.

Miss Martha Koch went to St. Joseph this morning to spend a few days with relatives.

MYSTERY SHROUDS TROUBLE IN ROME

REPORTED THAT ALL SHOPS HAVE BEEN CLOSED AT CAPITOL.

MARTIAL LAW DECLARED

Indefinite Reports Coming From Affected Regions Say Many Have Been Killed—Conditions Are Serious.

London, July 11.—The mystery over what actually happened in Rome labor trouble was heightened today. The Reuter News Agency cabled, reporting all shops in Rome excepting those selling foodstuffs have been closed and only one newspaper was published. Many persons were killed. The labor trouble has been general throughout for several days and began in the northern part of the country over the high cost of food and clothing and spread to cities but in the meanwhile the situation became so serious that the ministry of marine declared martial law and naval officers undertook the administration of city affairs. The Italian government has been exercising and the situation is regarded as serious.

HE CHANGED HIS MIND AND PAID $5 FINE

Paul Gray Admits That He Was "Clipping Along Pretty Well When Arraigned on Speeding Charge.

Paul Gray, residing about six miles south of Maryville, paid a fine of $5.00 and costs in the police court this morning after he had entered a plea of guilty to the charge of speeding before Judge W. L. Johnson.

Gray was driving his Ford car on the evening of July 2, when he fell into the hands of Sheriff Dowdon. He was given a preliminary hearing in the police court where he entered a plea of not guilty, and firmly maintained that he was driving within the speed limit.

This morning, however, he admitted that he was "clipping along pretty well" and changed the plea to guilty. The fine and costs totaled $11.35.

WILL THEY TWINKLE IN THE TWO NEAR TOWNS?

C. C. Helmers Confers with Bolckow and Rosendale Business Men About Electric Lights.

C. C. Hellmers, manager of the Maryville Electric Light & Power Company, spent last Monday evening in Bolckow and Rosendale conferring with representative business men in regard to furnishing those towns with electric lights.

No definite action was taken by either party as the meetings were for the purpose of preliminary get-together meetings to talk over the possibilites. Mr. Hellmers made no definite proposals at either town but promised to take the matter up with the company officials, if the two towns were interested in the proposition of securing lights.

The people of Bolckow seem to be optimistic about the matter for The Herald says: "it begins to look as though our little city will soon have electric lights. The one preventive in the way of an immediate installation of the system is the scarcity of labor and the high cost of material."

Mrs. Wes Smith and daughter, Marie, of Denver, Colo., who have been guests of Mrs. J. S. Ford and daughters, Misses Gladys and Merle Ford, left yesterday for Kansas City to spend a month before returning home.

WEATHER FOR TODAY

Partly cloudy and continued warm tonight and Friday, possibly local thundershowers tonight in the northeast portion.

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MEMBER MISSOURI PRESS ASSOCIATION

Buys Ravenwood Paper.

Loron Long, the manager of the Nold Lumber Co., of Parnell, has purchased the Ravenwood Gazette and expects to move to that place just as soon as he can be released from his present position.—Parnell Sentinell.

Has First Tomato.

Tom Cook enjoyed the first ripe tomato from his garden Tuesday. Tom says that he has an exceptionally good tomato patch and has many large ones nearly ripe. This is the first ripe homegrown tomatoes we have heard of this year.—Barnard Bulletin.

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German President a Figurehead Chancellor and Cabinet Power

By Alfred G. Anderson,
I. N. S. Staff Correspondent.

Berlin, July 11. (by mail).—In the words of Dr. Hugo Preuss, German minister of the interior and author of the original draft of the new German constitution:

"The President of Germany is a parliamentary king."

If President Ebert were to paraphrase Minister Preuss' definition of his status he probably would style himself a limited monarch, with a regretful emphasis on the limited.

'King' Ebert may be unaware of it, but it nevertheless is a fact that he he is completely tucked away in the frock coat pocket of Count von Brockdorff-Rantzau. Unmistakable proof of this was furnished me at Weimar recently during the last session of the national assembly, when Ebert and his court were reposing on the siken couches and gilded beds of the deposed Grand Duke.

I had solicited an interview with President Ebert. An attache of the Foreign Office and a secretary of Premier Scheidemann successively asked me to prepare a list of questions to be submitted to Germany's alleged chief executive. It was explained that Ebert always wanted to prepare his answers in advance. Later I learned that some attache of Brockdorff-Rantzau's establishment usually writes the interviews for foreign correspondents without bothering Ebert with the list of questions.

My questions were rather intimate and perhaps embarrassing. Each day however, I was assured the interview would take place "tomorrow." After waiting several days I learned from a confidential source that Ebert had not been approached at all regarding the coveted interview. The same day Brockdorff-Rantzau left for Berlin.

I went to the Foreign Office attache who had one of my lists of questions and insisted on action. He squirmed and said it was "too bad the Foreign Minister had gone to Berlin." But he would at once wire Brockdorff-Rantzau and inquire if it was convenient to let an American correspondent interview the president at this time.

It wasn't. Brockdorff-Rantzau said so in his reply, which came by wire the following morning, and that settled it. This was my last attempt to interview Germany's president.

I had the Weimar experience in mind today when I asked Dr. Preuss if the German constitution gave the president any authority at all.

"Oh, yes," said Dr. Preuss, who is politically a democrat and racially a Jew. "He contracts treaties with foreign powers and appoints and receives ambassadors. He appoints and dismisses government officials and officers of the army and navy. He has authority to use military force for compelling any state of the German commonwealth to fulfill its constitutional obligations. He can, with the sanction of the cabinet, restore order by military force in any part of the commonwealth where the public safety is disturbed."

Dr. Preuss exhibited a copy of the proposed constitution, with all the amendments made in the first committee reading, as documental evidence of the president's vast authority.

I found no paragraph authorizing the president to give out interviews, but I did find one that considerably minimized the power ascribed to him by Dr. Preuss.

Article 70 of the German constitution prescribes that "all civil and military orders and dispositions of the president require, in order to be valid, the counter signature of the chancellor or the minister properly representing him, who thereby assumes the responsibility."

That little article, one of the briefest in the whole constitution, virtually divests the president of all authority. While reading it now I recalled a statement made by Hugo Haase, president of the Independent Socialist party, in an interview five weeks ago. Herr Haase then said:

"The national president is a superfluous and expensive ornament. It is the policy of my party to abolish the office."

The real president of Germany is the chancellor, or the minister president, as that official at present is called. (The new constitution provides for a restoration of the title "Chancellor," and the national assembly in like manner reverts to the old familiar appellation of "Reichstag.")

The constitution, to be sure, provides that the chancellor be appointed and released by the president, but the constitution also prescribes that the chancellor must have the confidence of the Reichstag, though neither he nor the minister need be members of the legislative body. That divests the president of the last remnant of power. All that is left him of authority is the right to submit any law passed by the Reichstag to referendum within one month of its passage. But even such an order, if the constitution is carried out to the letter, probably would require the chancellor's counter signature.

"The German president," said Dr. Preuss, "differs from the president of France in that he is elected by direct vote, like the president of the United States, whereas the French president is elected by parliamentary vote. He differs from the President of the United States in requiring the sanction of his cabinet in all his actions. But from the King of England he differs only in not holding office for life.

"The German president is elected for seven years. But he may be re-elected indefinitely. He must be thirty-five years old and have been a German citizen for at least ten years.

"The direct vote clause, which is my own idea, met with strong opposition from the liberal element, who were afraid the president would be too independent. Strangely enough, I had the hardest fight with members of my own party, but I won out."

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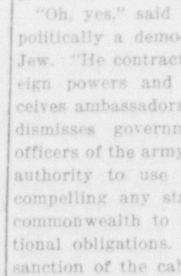

Portsmouth, Ohio.—"I suffered from irregularities, pains in my side and was so weak at times I could hardly get around to do my work, and as I had four in my family and three boarders it made it very hard for me. Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound was recommended to me. I took it and it has restored my health. It is certainly the best medicine for woman's ailments I ever saw."—Mrs. SARA SHAW, R. No. 1, Portsmouth, Ohio.

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Washington, D. C.—The most intense concentration of artillery fire ever recorded was that of the American troops in the battle of St. Mihiel, fought from September 12 to 15 and which was the first distinctly American offensive of the war. It was fought chiefly by American troops and wholly under the orders of American officers. In this battle the American artillery fired more than one million shells in four hours.

Two comparisons with Gettysburg emphasize the magnitude of the St. Mihiel operation. At St. Mihiel, 550,000 Americans were engaged. At Gettysburg, the Union troops numbered approximately 100,000. In three days at Gettysburg the Union artillery fired 33,000 shells. The St. Mihiel offensive cost the Americans about 7,000 casualties, less than one-third the Union losses at Gettysburg.

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ROPER ISSUES WARNING.

Washington, D. C.—Commissioner of Internal Revenue Roper has issued a warning to the public against dealers in Liberty and Victory bonds who advertise themselves as "Government Licensed Brokers." The fact that a broker has paid the special tax imposed on all brokers under the Revenue Act of 1918 does not mean that the Government guarantees his honesty or assumes any responsibility for the legitimacy of his methods, Mr. Roper warns.

Harvey Guests Leave.

Mrs. J. C. Glenn of Kansas City, and Mrs. Elizabeth Fox of Fort Worth, Texas, who have been guests for a week at the home of Mrs. Glenn's daughter, Mrs. Fred Harvey, left this morning for Kansas City.

BANK STATEMENT SHOWS COUNTRY'S PROSPERITY.

Washington, D. C.—The country's prosperity is reflected in the national bank statement under the Comptroller of the Treasury's call of May 12. Resources on that date were $20,825,000,000, an increase of $807,000,000 since March 4, date of the last previous call, and a gain of almost ten billions of dollars in six years.

Deposits on May 12 were $15,908,000,000, an increase of $1,518,000,000 since May 10, 1918. Loans and discounts on May 12 amounted to $9,984,000,000, an increase of $213,000,000 over March 4, 1919.

Kodak finishing is a business—not a side line with us. Carpenter. 13.

Blind Missourian Raises Poultry.

After attending several meetings of poultry enthusiasts in Cole county, O. E. Jones of Jefferson City, decided to go into the poultry business. Mr. Jones is blind, but he could see a future in the poultry industry in Missouri. Undaunted, he constructed a two-section, two-story poultry house and equipped it in approved style. His flock consists of birds of laying age and some spring hatched chicks.

The efficiency shown in all his work is a surprise to any visitor, says H. E. Cosby of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture who has called on Mr. Jones to give him instruction. The work has been done well in spite of all handicaps. Mr. Jones does not stop at providing good equipment; he uses progressive methods in handling his flock. His method of recording the eggs produced is unique. A small section of hardware cloth one-fourth inch mesh is tacked to a board. In the first vertical column he uses tacks to designate each hen. In the horizontal columns he sticks tacks to record the days on which each hen lays. In this way the records are kept for a month. At the end of the month the tacks are removed for a new start.

Mr. Jones is now attempting to organize a poultry club at the institution, with the assistance of the home demonstration agent. He is also looking forward to the time when he will be operating a poultry farm of considerable size. While he is a novice at the work, and his enterprise is small, his ambition will doubtless carry him along toward the realization of his ambition.

Read Democrat-Forum Want Ads.

100 Per Cent Cow.

Paris, Mo., July 11.—T. W. McCrary, a farmer living north of Paris, has a 100 per cent efficient cow. The cow has presented her owner with four calves during the past year, and divided them properly into two sets of twins. Two of the calves were steers and two were heifers.

Stacked Grain Offers Advantages.

One of the first precautions to be observed in the control of the Hessian Fly is to plow all wheat stubble as early as possible after harvest. Early plowing has also proven advantageous in the production of a large wheat crop the succeeding year. These two items form an excellent reason for stacking wheat as soon as the binder has been over the field. Whether or not it will pay the farmer to stack his grain is a question for him to answer.

Other advantages from stacking are pointed out by the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Threshing from the stack saves the labor of several men and teams. Also, the threshing can be done at any time most convenient. These items concern the housewife to a great extent. If threshing can be done after the hot season has passed, and fewer workmen are to be fed, the dread of threshing will be largely obviated. Wheat threshed from stacks is usually better in quality; it grades higher because of its better color and weight.

Because of danger from fire, some farmers hesitate to stack their grain. That is a risk which must be assumed, altho it can be shared with an insurance company on a short time policy. Naturally, it adds to the expense.

The farmer must decide whether it will pay him to stack, whether the advantages outweigh the disadvantages.

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If it can be photographed, Carpenter can do it. 13.

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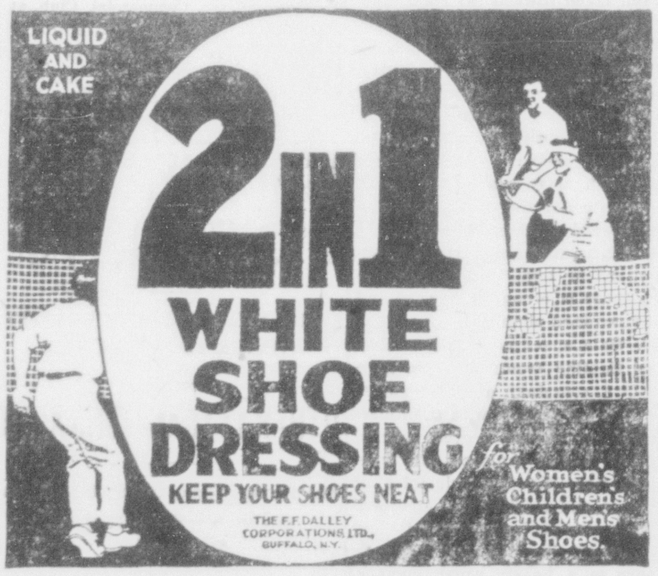
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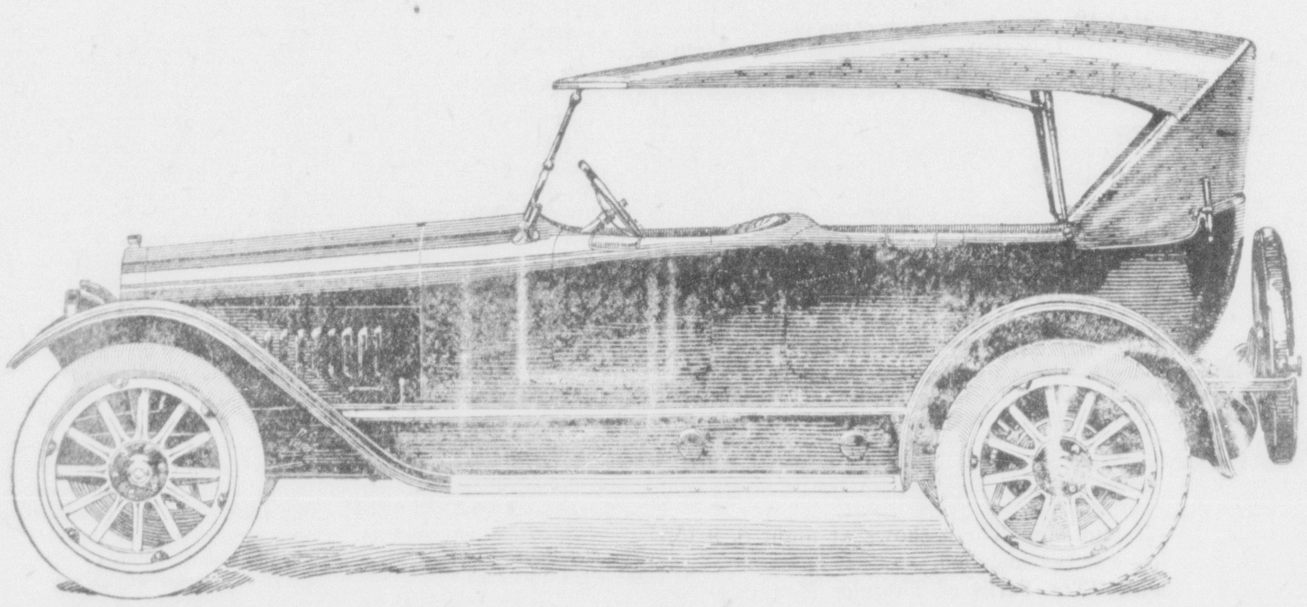

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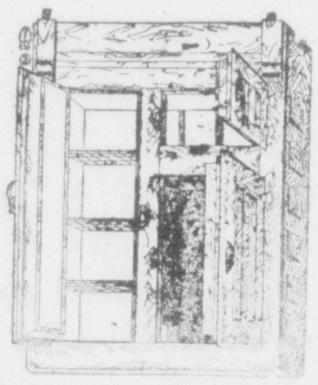

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Social, Clubs Churches

Eastern Star Meeting.

The Eastern Star chapter will meet at 8:30 o'clock at I. O. O. F. Hall. A big attendance is desired.

W. C. Club.

The W. C. Club which was organized two weeks ago by the girls of the Ireland district, met with Marion Roberts Wednesday afternoon. Refreshments of ice cream and cake were served. Those present were Pearl Booth, Nellie Hall, Reah Shell, Crystall Hall, Thelma Garrett, Sarah Garrett and the hostess. The next meeting will be with Pearl McGinness.

Weiner Roast.

The Brotherhood Class of the First M. E. Church gave a picnic supper, a feature of which was a weiner roast, last evening at the College Park. Following the supper, the time was spent socially and various games were played. There were forty-three present. This was one of several social gatherings planned by the class for the year.

Social Hour Club.

The Social Hour Club met at the home of Mrs. Will Spangler Tuesday afternoon. Refreshments were served to the following: Mrs. Josie Gray, Mrs. Clara Wilson and children, Mrs. Emma Fakes, Mrs. Ed Houston and children, Mrs. Nana Loch, Mrs. Julia Loch and children, Mrs. Stella Morris and son, Misses Tressie King and Edith and Lestie Spangler. The next meeting will be at the home of rs. Rich Spurgeon.

For Mrs. Covey.

Mrs. Isabelle Worst and Miss Alice Worst were hostesses to the Fortnightly Bridge Club this afternoon, in compliment to Mrs. Worst's daughter, Mrs. Noble C. Covey of Pueblo, Colo. The guests included only the members who are Mrs. E. F. Wolfert, Mrs. George Baker, Mrs. T. L. Wadley, Mrs. J. C. Allender, Mrs. J. D. Richey, Mrs. S. G. Gillam, Mrs. G. H. Colbert, and Mrs. D. J. Thomas, substituting for Mrs. J. F. Colby, who is visiting in Manitou, Colo.

Herron Homemaking Circle.

Mrs. David Neidel was hostess Wednesday afternoon to the Herron Homemaking Circle. The afternoon was spent in quilting, after which dainty refreshments of ice cream and cake were served to the following: Mrs. J. C. F. Taylor, Mrs. V. A. Guthrie, Mrs. S. E. Fisher, Mrs. Rudolph Neidel Mrs. W. T. Osborne, Mrs. Chas. Nicholas and son, Mrs. Chas. Porter and daughter, Mrs. Harry Hartness and daughter, Mrs. hCas. Cockayne, Mrs. Harry Fisher, Mrs. E. A. Everest, Misses Mary Taylor, Esther Neidel and Zilla Everest. The Circle will hold its next meeting July 23 with Mrs. Hartness.

DEPUTY E. E. TILTON GETS MANY FISHING LICENSES.

Brings 25 Applications for Licenses From Big Lake Which Is Becoming Popular Resort.

Deputy Game and Fish Commissioner E. E. Tilton returned from Big Lake today with about twenty-five hunting and fishing licenses which he had received applications for at that place. He states that Big Lake is becoming a most popular resort for fishing, having received applications for fishing licenses from parties living in St. Joseph, Kansas City, Kansas and Nebraska.

A state fishing license for a resident costs $1.00 and for a non-resident, $3. A combined hunting and fishing license for a resident costs $2.50 and for a non-resident $10.

Keep the Dairy Utensils Clean.

Utensils that come in contact with milk or cream must be kept perfectly clean. This precaution should be observed throuout the year, but especially during the warm weather, says the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. Wash them by first rinsing in cold water and then by using hot water and a brush. Washing powder suitable for use in the dairy should contain no grease. Ordinary sal-soda used in small amounts is a good dairy cleanser. After washing the utensils with hot water, rinse thoroly with boiling water and place them where they will come in contact with the direct rays of the sun. This place should be free from flies.

In washing the large milk cans, be sure that the inside of the shoulder of the can is rubbed with the brush, as this is the most difficult part to clean.

Ask Carpenter—He probably knows. 13.

Return From Big Lake.

Mr. and Mrs. Conrad W. Yehle and sons, Ralph, Carlos and Cleo, returned yesterday afternoon from a ten days' vacation outing at Big Lake.

MISSOURI STATE NEWS.

St. Louis, July 11.—Whisky prescriptions, formerly the favorite subterfuge of persons in dry territory when a wee sip was wanted, have not shown an increase at drug stores here, but there has been a gradually increasing rush on the soda fountains, downtown durggists say.

At one downtown drug store, a sign has been posted, apologizing to customers for lack of accomodation and explaining that the fountain has been "swamped" in the rush. The sign announces that the fountain will be enlarged as soon as possible.

Hundreds of St. Louisions are "drinking" their lunch, in the form of egg drinks, since prohibition went into effect, it is said.

Soft drink dealers and dispensers estimate the increase in their business has been from 10 to 25 per cent.

Brookfield, July 11.—The Linn County court, in session at Linneus, in answer to petitions filed from every township in the county, made an order for an election to be held August 19, for the citibens of the county to vote bonds of $1,000,000 to build hard-surface roads.

Jefferson City, July 11.—An order will be made, Chairman William G. Busby of the Public Service Commission says, extending the six cent street car fare in Kansas City for a period of sixty days from July 15.

There will be no immediate ruling, Busby further says, in the matter of seven and one-half cent rate applied for by the Kansas City Street Railways Company some days ago.

The commission will rule on that application some time during the sixty day extension of the six cent rate.

The application of the company was for a ten cent fare for a single trip or two tickets for fifteen cents, being equivalent to a straight seven and one-half cent fare.

Jefferson City, July 11.—Governor Gardner will not make an appointment to fill the vacancy on the Revision Committee made caused by the resignation of Senator Seth M. Young.

In the opinion of the governor, as well as that of several of the leading members of the committee, that body is already sufficiently large and is unwieldy.

Before the resignation of Senator Young there were sixteen members of the committee and the remaining fifteen will be ample to do the work.

The governor says that unless there are quite a number of vacancies on the committee it will be his policy not to make any new appointments.

Friends of Senator S. E. Bronson who had been urging him for the vacancy have been advised that there would be no appointment made.

MAN LOSES HUNDREDS OF DOLLARS

"I am sorry I did not hear of Mayr's Wonderful Remedy a few years ago, as it would have saved me several hundred dollars. Five years I suffered from indigestion and severebloating. I grew worse all the time. My doctor said an operation would be all that could save me. I took a course of Mayr's Wonder ful Remedy instead and for the past year have been entirely well." It is a simple, harmless preparation that removes the catarrhal mucus from the intestinal tract and allays the inflammation which causes practically all stomach, liver and intestinal allments, including appendicitis. One dose will convince or money refunded.—Maryville Drug Co., and Druggists Everywhere—Adv.

"THE COMMON CAUSE"

First Big After-war Screen Production to Be Shown at the Electric Theater.

"The Common Cause" the first big after-the-war screen production to be exhibited after the signing of the armistice will be shown at the Electric theatre next Monday and Tuesday, July 14 and 15.

The drama has a prologue and epilogue, in which appear five famous women of the stage—Effie Shannon, Julia Arthur, Irene Castle, Marjorie Rambeau and Violet Heming. They represent, respectively, Belgium, Italy, France, Columbia and Britannia.

"This is one of the best-made photoplays ever seen and it certainly has everything about it to make it the greatest screen entertainment that has come out in many months. It covers the war from the time Belgium was ravaged until the present time, with the American and Allied arms victorious; and yet it is not what one would call a 'war' picture. It tells the story of Allied aims, the reasons for the entrance in to the struggle of Britain, France, Italy, America, etc., and shows how the American marines turned the tide of the war at the memorable battle of Chateau-Thierry by turning the Huns off the road to Paris. There is a splendid novelty in the form of an animated diagram showing this phase of the war.

"There is a beautiful love story running through the picture and some splendid battle scenes showing the tanks in action, the big guns and the battleplanes, but there is a total absence of the horror that has characterized the war itself and many of the pictures depicting it.

"One of the outstanding features of 'The Common Cause' is the fine comedy that is introduced. Lawrence Grossmith, the famous English comedian, is the leading fun-maker, and he, with a poilu and a French girl, produce some of the most legitimate comedy the screen has ever seen. The picture would be worth seeing for the comedy alone."

WOULD PAY TRIBUTE TO FAITHFUL WAR ANIMALS.

Boston, July 11.—Francis H. Rowley, president of the Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals, believes that the state should recognize the work done by horses, dogs and other animals whose faithful services and whose sufferings and death were part of the price paid in the world war waged in behalf of the liberties of mankind.

These were the sentiments expressed by the Committee on State Libraries in speaking in favor of a resolve authorizing the erection of a memorial shaft in the State House in honor of the animals and birds which took part in the war.

Mr. Rowley said that the "Lost Battalion," Commanded by Colonel Whittlesey, was found when a pigeon flying from it brought word of its whereabouts to the main American forces in France. Dogs also have carried messages which resulted in the saving of hundreds of human lives, he said.

Twenty Years From Now.

A few more items from the Lowry City Independent's latest Twenty Years From Now column:

Glenn Lyon of east of town shipped eighty fat steers to the Kansas City market on Monday's stock plane.

A man passed through town Saturday driving a horse—the first seen hereabouts for a number of years. He said he came from Arkansas.

Found—Plane license tag No. 14054. Owner may have same by paying for this ad and the calf killed by falling tag.—Lauren Lysinger, Rt. 2.

A quart bottle of whisky which has occupied a prominent place among the exhibits at the Lowry City museum so long was stolen from its case one night last week and, it is feared, is now past recovery. Detectives searching for this valuable relic of bygone days, have found clues that implicate several old fellows about town who were noted tipplers in the days preceding the big drought.

Take your kodak finishing to the Bee Hive Shoe Store. Carpenter. 13.

Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co.

WEST THIRD STREET, MARYVILLE, MO.

Our Annual July Clearance Sale

Begins Tomorrow Morning

IT has been the custom of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Company to hold Clearance Sales in July and January of each year—in these semi-annual sales the entire stocks, with the exception of a very few restricted items, are offered at a reduction in price. These Clearance sales are the only times of year that we place our entire stocks on sale at a reduction and the people of this community have come to look forward to these sale events with increasing interest.

First, it is an important event because of its magnitude; second, it is important because it is coming at a time when merchandise in all lines are making radical advances. Therefore, take advantage of this great sale in which you can supply your needs at prices that will be prohibitive in a very short time.

The very merchandise you have been wanting is in this sale—come and make your selections early before the items you want are taken.

Make your family proud of their home

Your wife and children cannot take a pride in their home if the house is faded and weather-beaten. That means no-paint. And, for mansion or cottage, the best paint is

DEVOE *The Guaranteed Lead and Zinc Paint* *Fewer Gallons—Wears Longer*

We guarantee Devoe Lead and Zinc Paint to be absolutely pure. When you paint with Devoe you save paint-money—fewer gallons to buy; you save labor-money—fewer gallons to spread; you get a better looking paint-job—pure paint; and it will be a longer time before you need another paint-jób.

Why have a shabby house any longer? It will cost you more to paint next year. Paint with Devoe *now* and insure your home against decay. Stop in to-day and let us give you a Devoe color card and a practical booklet—"Keep Appearances Up and Expenses Down."

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Count the words; send money with the order. Ads should be in by twelve o'clock to insure insertion in this column same day.
These prices are for CASH with order. An extra charge of Five Cents will be made on all Want Ads when cash does not accompany the order.

FOR SALE.

Equitable
Life, Health and Accident
"Buy it of Brewer."

FOR SALE—Gibson Mandolin, cheap. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-tf

FOR SALE—Chester White sow and ten pigs nine weeks old. Emmett Bartram. 10-12*

FOR SALE—Baby buggy. See Mrs. A. S. Robey, 321 West 4th St. 10-12*

FOR SALE—6 pigs 2½ months old. Morris H. Chick Farmers 125. 923 South Main St. 9-12*

FOR SALE—Complete block machine, jack screws, wheel barrows and tools. Frank Reynolds, 904 East Cooper. 10-12.

FOR SALE—A Ford Roadster, in good running condition. Maryville Electric Lt. & Pr. Co. Empire Theater Bldg. A17tf.

FOR SALE—One Overland, five passenger touring car in good condition. C. C. Hellmers. M2tf.

FOR SALE—Shorthorn bulls, priced worth the money. Will make delivery. Oren Lanning, Barnard, Mo. 14tf

FOR SALE—4 Ford cars all in good condition. L. B. Campbell, Barnard, Mo. 9-11

FOR SALE—The best 14 acre tract adjoining city limits 4 blocks from pavement on good public road, has 9 room house, electric lights, bath, etc. Fruit and wash house with basement, garage coal house, chicken house, large barn and hog houses. Plenty of water and an abundance of fruit.

An ideal home, suitable for most any use, on which an independent living can be made.

Place is so arranged that it can be sub-divided. This place must be seen to be appreciated. Priced to sell as we are leaving state.

C. E. JONES.

East 14th on R. F. D. 5, Box 8, Han. 76. Jy3tf

FOR SALE—Buick touring car in good condition, new tires, attractive price. Farmers garage. 9-11

FOR SALE OR RENT—The Linneman property on East 7th. Inquire across the street. 8-21.

FOR SALE—1 Oakland, model 40, 1 Overland, model 69, good condition. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. 9-11

FOR SALE—Nice heifer calf, past two weeks old. Shube Woodard, 922 East 4th St. 9-11

FOR RENT

FOR RENT—6 room house at 1102 East Jenkins St. Inquire Louis Gram Hanamo 5542. A21tf.

FOR RENT—Dwelling house 3 blocks east of courthouse. Southeast corner of Saunders & 4th street. 6 rooms, city water and bath. Inquire Sisson Loan and Title Co. Hanamo 55 J8tf.

MISCELLANEOUS

CAR OWNERS ATTENTION—If you need any kind of parts for your car come and see us. We carry a complete line of second hand parts and sell at them at reasonable prices. Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. 9-15.

JUNK, JUNK—Wanted all kinds of junk and junk cars. Call or ship to Maryville Auto Wrecking Co. Hanamo 232. Farmers 75. 9-22.

WANTED—Good separator man, one that understands the business. Apply to G. P. Bainum or X. A. Lincoln. 9-11

LOST—34x4 tire and rim with leather blowout boot on tire. Lost between Quitman and aMryville on the Joe Carden road. Ed Costello. 9-11

NATIONAL RUBBER TIRE FILLER ends all tire trouble, a perfect substitute for air. 1-3*

Lazenby Funeral Services.

Funeral services for William H. Lazenby, who died yesterday morning at St. Francis hospital, will be held tomorrow morning at 11 o'clock at the Pickering Christian church. Burial will be in White Oak cemetery east of Pickering. Mrs. Guy Phillips of Colome, S. D., a daughter, arrived last night to attend the services.

Depend on our Want Ad. Column.

MARKET REPORTS

MARKETS BY TELEGRAPH

Kansas City, July 11.—July corn, $1.92 3-8; September corn, $1.92 5-8; December corn $1.58 7-8.

Kansas City, July 11—Cattle receipts, 1,000; steers $10 @ $13.45; cows, $9 @ $12.50; Hogs, 5,000; top, $22.35; bulk, $21.90 @ $22.25.

Chicago, July 11.—Cattle, 6000; Hogs 25,000; Sheep 15,000.

St. Joseph, July 11.—Cattle 500; 10c to 15 higher; Hogs 3500, top $22.30, steady; Sheep 2000, steady.

PRODUCE MARKET.

Fresh eggs, per dozen	32c
Spring Chickens	30c lb
Butter fat	47c lb
Hides	20c
Hen market	23c
Ducks, per lb	15c
Geese, per pound	12c
Old roosters, per pound	12c

REDEMPTION PRIVILEGE ON WAR STAMPS EXTENDED.

Washington, D. C.—The Treasury Department savings division has removed the restriction under which registered War Savings Stamps could be redemmed only at the postoffice where they were originally registered. By arrangement with the Postoffice Department, they may now be redeemed at any postoffice on the necessary ten days' notice. The plan extending the redemption privilege has been safeguarded to prevent redemption by others than bona fide holders of registered stamps.

Under the registration privilege, the Government guarantees stamp owners against loss by theft or destruction, and insures payment of the value of the stamps only to bona fide owners.

Protect your Barn with Cooks Prairie Red Barn Paint... Gaugh & Evans. tf

Teaching the Chicks to Roost.

Where a large number of chicks are being raised in one brooder house difficulty is often experienced in preventing the birds from piling up at night after the heat is removed, and causing serious losses, says T. S. Townsley of the University of Missouri College of Agriculture. To prevent this overcrowding the birds should be taught to roost as early as possible. If roosts are made out of one by three inch strips placed flat so as to provide a three inch roosting surface, and these are placed twelve to fifteen inches from the floor, the birds can easily be taught to go to roost. If the chicks do not go up on the roost of their own accord they should be gently placed in the roosts after dark for one or two nights until they get the roosting habit.

Look Out For Mites.—This season of the year a constant lookout should be kept by all poultry keepers for mites in the houses and coops. A mite is very small and difficult to see unless special search is made. They are usually found in cracks near the roosts. They appear as minute, gray or reddish specks. When present in large numbers they often have the appearance of dust. Mites reproduce very rapidly and are a great source of annoyance to the hens when present in large numbers. The mites live by sucking blood from the hens. A severe attack of mites will cause the hens to loose flesh and stop laying, and will oftentimes produce death. To get rid of mites the houses must be carefully cleaned and then painted or sprayed with excellent material. A heavy spraying of coal oil followed in two or three days by giving the roosts and surrounding boards a thoro painting with crude oil will clean up the mites and keep the houses free for several months. This treatment should be applied twice yearly to all poultry houses as a precautionary measure against mites.

In Charge of Millinery Department.

Miss Ethel Muntz of Bedford, Ia., arrived this morning and will have charge of the millinery department of the Alderman-Yehle Dry Goods Co., made vacant by the removal of Miss Agatha Kirch to Riverton, Wyo.

FRECKLES

Don't Hide Them With a Veil; Remove Them With Othine—Double Strength.

This preparation for the removal of freckles is usually so successful in removing freckles and giving a clear, beautiful complexion that it is sold under guarantee to refund the money if it fails.

Don't hide your freckles under a veil; get an ounce of Othine and remove them. Even the first few applications should show a wonderful improvement, some of the lighter freckles vanishing entirely.

Be sure to ask the druggist for the louble strength Othine; it is this that s sold on the money-back guarantee.—Adv.

How a Man Acts When He Can't Get a Drink

E. M. Stader, the hotel man, in the June American Magazine says: As a result of prohibition, we seem to have these very definite effects: men go out with their wives and their families to the restaurants and theatres, more than they did; they drink soft drinks, and they eat more food, especially sweets; they walk more and ride less.

"They are also easier to get along with. At least, my manager in Detroit says that it is like being transported to heaven since the drinking man has been almost eliminated from the hotel guests.

"As time goes on, more and more men certainly are going to take to soft drinks. In the new Hotel Pennsylvania in New York we will have three soda fountains and I expect they will do a big business. In Detroit the two most popular 'temperance drinks' with men are the 'grape-juice highball'—which is grape juice and seltzer and the various cream sodas.

The Heydey of Soda.

"I have been making inquiries and I find that men have been patronizing soda fountains more and more in recent years, even where there was no prohibition. A woman told me the other day of going into one of these places in the New York financial district several times lately. On each occasion she was the only woman in the place, aside from the girls behind the counters. And the men in there were not office boys or young men who were taking their ice-cream sodas, their phosphates, and even their 'nut sundaes,' with evident enjoyment. If they did this when bars and saloons were open, they will surely do it still more when there is no place else to go.

In Detroit another effect of the prohibition conditions is that people are spending more for food when they go to the restaurants. The average check for luncheon and dinner is twenty per cent higher than it used to be. Remember This increase is in spite of the fact that all charges for drinks are now absolutely gone. That means that one large item has been subtracted from the amount spent in the restaurants and yet the sum has increased. I mean the average sum per person."

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FOR SALE—My house and lot at 1005 East First street, and my two small tracts of land north of town. Mrs. J. L. Lee. 11-14*

Mr. and Mrs. J. F. Tulloch of Barnard, have been visiting the former's brother, Dick Tulloch, and family.

Miss Gladys Wray of Oak Park, Ill., arrived Wednesday noon to visit at the home of her sister, Mrs. Marve Curnutt.

Judge J. H. Sayler, accompanied by his guest, John K. Walker of Los Angeles, Calif., visited in Burlington Junction Wednesday afternoon with W. G. Sayler.

Misses Willetta Kittell and Ruth Hankins of the Conservatory of Music are spending today in St. Joseph.

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BEGIN BIG CAMPAIGN AGAINST DREADED CANCER.

New York, July .—Cancer research in America is proceeding as in pre-war days, it is said at the Crocker Laroratories of Columbia University. Mice, the supply of which had practically been absorbed by the Government for use in trenches or submarines and in camps for the purpose of detecting gas, are again being bred in vast numbers for cancer laboratories. At Columbia there are now 5,000 tumor-bearing mice. During the war the number had fallen to 1,000. Before the war it had reached 15,000. The animals are being bred in New York and Philadelpria.

The war has touched the cancer problem in a strange way, according to Dr. Francis Carter Wood, Director of the George Crocker Special Research Fund at Columbia. In England and Wales the cancer death rate has shown enormous increase since the war began and Dr. Wood, after an exhaustive study of the latest statistics available from the office of the Registrar-General of Great Britain, concludes that the increase is due to the fact that "that portion of the male population below the age of firty-five had been largely removed to France and Belgium and the old-age groups therefore predominted in wartime."

In this country the same phenomenon will be noticed during the next year or two, Dr. Wood said. This condition, he pointed out, must, however, be considered by age groups rather than for the population as a whole, and if this is done no real change will be found. Similar distortion of cancer death rate, he said, has been noticed in the New England States for some years.

Do you know the power of Democrat Forum Want Ads?

COMING CHAUTAUQUA IS MAKING A "HIT" ELSEWHERE

Newspaper Comment from Towns Program Is On Speaks Favorably of Entertainment.

Newspaper comment from the towns where the Redpath-Vawter Chautauqua program has already been held indicate that the 1919 program is fulfilling all of the pre-season promises made by the Cedar Rapids folks.

The program has been under way for three weeks and up to date the attendance has been the largest in the history of the circuit and committees report that tickets have sold more readily this season than ever before.

The address on "Re-Making the Map of the World" by Sir John Foster Frazer, the British journalist, seems to be the head-liner feature of the program. Press comments on the lecture declare it to be the most timely and instructive address ever presented by the Redpath-Vawter system. Sir John, it will be remembered, came to the Chautauqua platform direct from the Paris peace conference and he is giving, first hand to the people of the Middle West, his impressions of the events which marked that historic gathering. Reports state that he has been holding his audiences for two hours with his graphic verbal pictures of the characters and events of the great conference. He closes his address with his "garden of the brave" a tender and beautiful tribute to the allied dead who sleep in France.

The big crowd-getting day is said to be the sixth day when the Banda Roma, Major Bridgman and the exhibitions of flying are scheduled. Hundreds of folks have taken trips in the air with Lieut. Miller, the aviation pilot. The Banda Roma is declared to be the equal of any band organization ever offered by the Vawter folks.

Frank Dixon is creating much comment on his address on "Government Ownership—the Creed of American Bolshevism."

Ralph "Bing" Bingham, the "White Hussars," the Saxaphone Sextette and the Althea Girls are taking the entertainment honors, while the Boston Opera Singers are making "big" with those who enjoy the best in music.

Don't forget the name of the remedy you need when the stomach or bowels are disordered. Prickly Ash Bitters quickly corrects such troubles and makes you feel bright and cheerful. Every man should have a bottle at home all the time. It is the dose taken promptly that prevents sickness, misery and expense. Price $1.25 per bottle.—Maryville Drug Co., Special Agents.—Adv.

C. J. Colden in Parnell.

C. J. Colden, a former resident of this place, and his sister, Mrs. Brice Hall and daughter, Miss Nellie of Wilcox, were Parnell visitors yesterday afternoon. This was Mr. Colden's first visit here in a number of years, and his many friends were glad to see him again.

Mr. Colden now lives at San Pedro, Cal., 22 miles out from Los Angeles, on the beach, where he is engaged in the real estate business. For four years Mr. Colden was a resident of Parnell and was editor and owner of the Sentinel, the present owner purchasing the Sentinel from him.

Mr. Colden says he likes California better than any state he ever lived in. He has been visiting his parents at Wilcox but expects to leave for his home Friday of this week.—Parnell Sentinel.

COMMERCIAL WHEAT STOCK SHOWS LARGE INCREASE.

Washington, D. C.—A Department of Agriculture survey on June 1 showed the commercial wheat stock of the country to be 51,392,898 bushels. These holdings were reported by 8,684 firms, comprising elevators, warehouses, grain and flour mills and wholesale dealers, and were nearly three times as great as the stocks held by the same firms on June 1, 1918.

Commercial stocks of other cereals reported on the same date, with a comparison in percentage with the same date of 1918, were:

Corn, 17,254,576 bushels, or 47.6 per cent; oats, 45,770,543, or 90.6 pe rcent; barley, 20,043,375 bushels, or [illegible] cent; rye, 14,624,331 bushels, or 346.1 per cent.

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RAINS HANDICAP HARVEST

It Is Estimated That More Than One-Third of Wheat Has Not Yet Been Cut.

Wheat harvesting is being badly handicapped in this community from several sources says the Barnard Bulletin. There has been a large amount of rain which has caused the over ripened wheat to fall down and make the binding difficult. It is estimated that at least one-third of the wheat in this community is still standing uncut in the fields on account of the wet ground and in some instances on account of the wheat being so flat on the ground as to not allow cutting.

Sam Smith and George Adams have a field of wheat that is down so badly that the plan to mow it with a mower and rake it to a threshing machine with a bull rake, this being the only way they can get any returns from the field. It is a common sight to see several acres in fields on which the wheat is still standing and there seems to be little chance of cutting it. With continued sunshine, however, there will be much wheat cut within the next few days.

The wheat is about all cut and it is now the general opinion that the yield will not be near so good as it was thought it would be. The threshing will be commenced the first of next week if the weather will permit. The cutting of oats is just commencing and the same opinion is expressed about them as abotu wheat in regard to yield.—Clearmont News.

Many will commence threshing their wheat next week. While the grain will not be heavy there will be an abundance of straw.—Parnell Sentinel

WANTED WHOLE WORLD TO KNOW OF TANLAC

Missouri Woman Let Others Know What Tanlac Will Do For Suffering Humanity.

"My eight years search for a medicine or a treatment that would overcome my trouble never met with any success until I commenced taking Tanlac," said Mrs. A. B. Cosseboon, who lives at 425 Independence avenue, Kansas City, Mo., while talking with a Tanlac representative the other day.

"My kidneys and stomach were both in very bad condition," she continued, "and it is hard to say which of these troubles caused me the most misery. The awful pains in my back, and the terrible, raging headaches I had would almost drive me wild, and if I stopped over for anything it was impossible for me to straighten up without assistance. Then I would have severe pains on account of my food not digesting properly, and forming into what seemed to be a lump in the pit of my stomach. I was also bothered a great deal on account of my limbs getting numb, or going to sleep, and would often have to rub them with alcohol before I could get any relief. Finally my nerves got in very bad condition, and I was not able to sleep very well, and I just got so weak and run-down that it would exhaust me completely to do any part of my housework.

"After reading so much about Tanlac in the Kansas City papers, I decided to make one more effort and give Tanlac a trial, and let me tell you, that was the wisest decision I ever made in my life. It seems almost too good to be true, but I am now as well and happy as I ever was in my life. Why, the change in my condition is so wonderful that everybody who knows me is talking about it, and I always take a perfect delight in telling them that Tanlac is responsible for it all. My kidneys seem to be in perfect condition now, and I am entirely free from those pains in my back, and I haven't had one of those raging headaches since I finished my first bottle of Tanlac, and I eat just anything I want and my food digests perfectly. The numbness and pains in my limbs have disappeared and I am so completely rid of nervousness that I sleep like a child every night. My strength and energy have come back to me, and I can do all my housework without the least trouble. In fact, Tanlac has made me a well trong woman again, and I just want the world to know what a great medicine Tanlac is, and I am glad to recommend it to everybody."

"Tanlac is sold in Maryville by Koch Pharmacy, in Conception Junction by A. M. Colly, in Pickering by H. M. Lincoln, in Burlington Junction by Carter Pharmacy, in Barnard by Bear Drug Co., in Elmo by King Drug Co., in Clearmont by Dr. W. H. Wiley, in Ravenwood by C. A. Shunk, in Arkoe by Rufus R. Smith, and in Hopkins by Hopkins Drug Co."

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MUNICIPAL BOND SALE.

Sealed bids will be received for the sale of an issue of $50,000.00 waterworks bonds of the City of Maryville, Missouri, by the Mayor of said City at the city hall until 3 o'clock P. M. on Friday, July 25th, 1919. Information and blank form for bids may be obtained from the undersigned Mayor. All bids must specify the rate of interest the bidder desires the bonds to bear with the greatest amount of money he will pay for the issue of bonds ata such rate. Successful bidder to furnish bonds. Time of delivery September 1st at Maryville, Missouri. Bonds will not be sold for less than par, purchaser to pay accrued interest to date of delivery. Address all communications to W. O. Garrett, Mayor, Maryville, Missouri.

W. O. GARRETT,
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